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CLIP THE ABOVE LIST OF NAMES FOR YOUR TREASURE HUNT

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Richard Meade
Reporter

Contract Club

Mrs. S. R. Dickie was hostess to the Contract club on Thursday evening. Mrs. C. A. Boyle held high score for the evening. Mrs. Carl Rosenkrans, second, and Mrs. Mabel Worsley low.

Twentieth Century

The Twentieth Century club held a regular meeting on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Arthur Wells hostess. A good number were present for the business and social meeting. Mrs. G. B. Taber gave a demonstration on cake decorating. Mrs. Kenneth Pogue, of Waterman, was a guest.

Community Club Dance

The Community club dance held at Tabers hall on Friday evening was well attended. The music was furnished by Johnson band.

Grades Lose 19 to 5

The Paw Paw grades lost to Ashton on Thursday evening in the second round of the Lee county grade tourney, held at Ashton. The final score was Paw Paw 5, Ashton 19.

Attend Big Event

The following attended a big card party and luncheon held at Triumph on Friday: Mrs. E. N. Gibbs, Mrs. George Kelly, Mrs. Byron Rosenkrans, Mrs. H. R. Town, and Mrs. Mabel Worsley.

Bowling Standings

	W.	L.	Pct.
Century Club	46	29	.613
Wheeler's D-X	46	29	.613
Fleming's Five	42	33	.560
Rollo Rubes	41	34	.547
Johnson's Painters	40	35	.533
Miester Brau	40	35	.533
Wileys	39	36	.520
Miller's Five	39	36	.520
John Deere	37	38	.493
Tunneys	36	39	.480
Town's Recreation	35	40	.467
Athertons	35	40	.467
Fasco Mills	34	41	.453
Budwiesers	30	45	.400
Rollo Five	30	45	.400
Johnson's Truckers	30	45	.400

Style Show

The Presbyterian Guild sponsored a style show on Saturday afternoon at the church parlors. A big attendance was on hand for the occasion, and a 1:30 o'clock luncheon was served.

J. O. Y. Party

Mrs. Wilbur Clemons and Mrs. George Amundson were hostesses to the J. O. Y. class of the Baptist church on Saturday afternoon. The group met at the Amundson home, and a very pleasant afternoon was had. Dainty refreshments were served.

Suffers Stroke

Mrs. Ella McLaughlin suffered a stroke on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. R. W. Prieskorn found her in the stricken condition about 4 p. m. The latest reports state her condition as about the same.

Grange on Friday

The local order of the Grange will meet on Friday. All members are urged to attend this important meeting.

Birthday Party

On Thursday evening George Amundson celebrated his birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nevins and daughter Ardis were guests for the occasion. A delicious dinner was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Wielert of Waterman were Sunday guests at the A. D. Martin home.

Miss Emily Novak spent the latter part of the week in Chicago.

Orville Englehart who has been confined at the Ottawa hospital for the past week has returned home and is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pogue of Waterman were visitors in Paw Paw on Friday.

John Bryant of DeKalb visited friends here on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Faber of Maywood were week end visitors at the William Faber home.

Mrs. Will Smith who suffered a broken wrist last week is reported to be on the mend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Case were Mendota shoppers on Friday afternoon.

Dave Roberts of Polo spent the week end at the home of his mother, Mrs. Blanche Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Rosenkrans and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kindelber-

New Longer Length Jacket



A tweed cape for town or country with squared shoulders and notched lapels, is shown over a light wool suit with the new, longer length jacket.

ger, were Sunday visitors in Dixon.

Randall Terry and Jack Marks were in Maple Park on business Saturday.

Miss Rosemary Nangle of Normal spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nangle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goble and family were Sunday guests at the

Truman Erlenbach home near Waterman.

Ivan Urish was a business caller in Iowa on Monday and Tuesday.

You can't afford to be without a Dixon Evening Telegraph accident insurance policy. \$140 is the premium on a \$10,000 accident insurance policy. Ask for particulars.

Red Oak

Dorothy Mae Warling,
Reporter
Phone L291

Y. P. M. S.

The Young People's Missionary club met Saturday afternoon with Irene and Ethel Larson with eight members and two guests, Mrs. Valma Spahn and Christine Sidebottom. Marietta Hoffman, the president, had charge of the business meeting. Miss Hoffman also had charge of the devotion. The scripture lesson was read, followed by prayer. The devotion topic was on African Women. A song, "In the Garden," by Valma Spahn and Lorraine Etheridge. St. Patrick games were enjoyed during the social hour. A delicious lunch was served.

Red Oak Briefs

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. Mrs. Dan Hoffman were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albrecht, John, Evangeline and Dean, Francis Guiber, son Harold D. Hoffman and friends, Arthur Taylor and Glen Geigelhoff of Naperville.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Reese of Dixon were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Bacorn and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Willey and children were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Vernor Heaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Attig of Chicago, Mrs. Sarah Atig of Naperville spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kruse. Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kruse besides their house guests were John Guither, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kruse, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Guither and son, Miss Carrie Hammerle and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Burkey and daughters of Ohio. During the afternoon other callers were received, Ed Baumgartner, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Guither, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burkey and the Hoffman sisters.

EVOLUTION OF "HOT DOG"

Coney Island, N. Y., reports that a frankfurter was placed between two pieces of roll for the first time in 1889, thereby evolving the "hot dog" of carnivals and other amusement resorts.

Give your wife a box of monogram stationery for Easter. Order now from our fine selection of samples.

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"Aren't you forgetting the two cents amusement tax, Mr. Jones?"

Longer Length
Jackets Is New
Trend in Suits

Looking very different this year, the new suits have "little" jackets with large pockets, or longer jackets with deep revers and important single, double or triple breasted closings give sleek princess lines to the backs of jackets.

Dressmaker suits have soft details, such as tiny tuckings or darts under the arms, high placed yokes, tiny pointed lapels and other dressy details. Woolens used are as soft as dress fabrics, too, so that the entire costume is more of a jacket ensemble than a suit.

Many American designers are giving the new military cape suit, with its slim-hanging cape over a neatly-tailored suit—and both of a soft woolen which detracts from any severity of line or color.

New reefer suits have a "bell swing" skirt rippling softly around through the means of gores, below a perfectly fitting princess top.

CLEAR NOSE
to help you SLEEP
WELL TONIGHT

DOES YOUR NOSE feel all dried out, clogged, or irritated, so that you find it hard to get to sleep? Then try putting a few drops of Vicks Vapo-rinol up each nostril at bedtime.

VA-TRO-NOL SPREADS a comforting film that helps relieve transient congestion, lets you breathe more freely and helps pave the way for a good night's sleep. ENJOY THE COMFORT and relief Vicks Vapo-rinol brings... tonight.

colors in two and three tones in one suit, give to the spring suit mode a new and delightful variety. Two-color hound's tooth checks are a favorite with plain skirts and either plain or checked topcoats.

Dual and triple weaves in twill are new and very smart. These are shown in light suitings, and may be combined with heavier coatings. Ripple crepes and soft flat crepes are shown in dressy suits and ensembles. Rep weaves and fine ribs look new and exquisitely tailored in some of the new reefer suits. Satin edgings and braid give lustrous trimming and add to the richness of the costume.

Covering The Floor
Wall-to-wall carpeting is receiving much attention. Both broadloom fabrics and narrow carpeting sewn to the required width are being employed. In fact, some of the most interesting texture and color offerings to be seen in the stores are in the narrow fabric widths.

SLIPS SHOW THROUGH
Snugly-fitted camisole slips of sanforized batiste, nainsook or fine muslin are the smartest choice for wear with the new transparent blouses.

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New flattering Styles for Easter in Navy Blue with frosty white trims, Powder Blue, 2 Tone Blue Combinations and Grey & Pink Combinations. Sizes 14 to 46.



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If your liver doesn't secrete 20 to 30 ounces of bile every day into your intestines—constipation with its headaches, mental dullness and that "half-alive" feeling often result. So you see how important it is to keep bile flowing freely! And what finer aid could one desire than Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, used so successfully for years by Dr. F. M. Edwards for treating his patients for constipation and sluggish liver bile.

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Let's Take A Peek
At The New Spring Fashions!

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STYLES TO FIT EVERY FIGURE--PRICES TO FIT EVERY PURSE!

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Analysis

Dewitt MacKenzie Interprets Today's News From War Zones

The Anglo-French brotherhood will have missed the boat de luxe in most disconcerting fashion, the way it looks from the vantage of this arm-chair, if the Finns succumb to bolshevist pressure and accept the Red peace terms which they have fought so hard and so long to escape.

That is to say, the moment the Finns sign a treaty the allies will have suffered a major defeat in their war with Germany.

There is no other way to describe their failure (or call it inability) to intervene by force on the side of Finland, thereby establishing a new war theatre from which to strike at both Russia and Germany.

It will represent a triumph for Hitler. He will have outsmarted his enemy in a big way, for he is the one who sent the Russians and Finns into a conference calculated to end their war and thus save him from grave danger.

Intervention presented a grand strategic opportunity, as the allies' own experts have kept telling them. One strong advocate has been Leslie Hore-Belisha, British war minister who lost his cabinet position recently for reasons never made public.

One sure thing we do know is that Hore-Belisha didn't get fired because he wasn't smart. As a matter of fact one suspects that it was because he was too smart that got the gong.

I wouldn't want to bet that it wasn't his advocacy of intervention in Finland that cost him his job. In any event, this admittedly brilliant ex-official advised recently:

"The risk of helping Finland may be great, but the risk of not helping her may be greater. Well-planned, decisive action in Finland would give new strength to the allies' economic arm and curtail the duration of the war."

But the British government moves with great deliberation. It is conservative by name, and conservative by nature.

Throughout the bloody months during which the Finns have defended their birthright in one of the finest, gamiest military campaigns of history, they have appealed repeatedly for assistance. The tiny Finnish army has lugged about on its back the elephantine weight of bolshevist invader until the defenders weakened under the burden of sheer bulk.

Finland got some help but not nearly enough. Finally, when the Reds have cracked the eastern end of the Mannerheim line and the Finns are in desperate straits, Herr Hitler steps in and claims on the screws for peace. He does this to safeguard himself—not to aid Finland.

Only at this eleventh hour have the allies begun to clutch at their opportunity as it is slipping from their reach. British Premier Chamberlain declares in the House of Commons that the allies are ready "to proceed immediately and jointly to the help of Finland" "with all available resources" if the Finns ask for further aid.

The premier refused to say

Home Made Iron Lung Fails to Save Child

Herrin, Ill., March 12.—(AP)—An iron lung, built of an old oil drum, washing machine parts and automobile tire inner tubes, failed to save the life of an infant son born prematurely to Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey of this city. The child died late yesterday after living 48 hours.

The attending physician, Dr. R. L. Kane, said the improvised lung functioned perfectly but the baby was not strong enough to live.

The father, a 25-year-old electrician and refrigeration mechanic, constructed the apparatus in two hours after being advised that a lung was needed to aid the infant in breathing.

Bailey and his 22-year-old wife have two other children, a three-year-old son and a two-year-old daughter.

British Report Nazi U-Boat Sunk by Plane

London, March 12.—(AP)—The air ministry announced today that a British bomber had attacked a German submarine off the German coast and was believed to have sunk it.

The ministry communique said: "During a reconnaissance flight over Helgoland Bight Monday afternoon an aircraft of the Royal Air Force bomber command successfully attacked a German submarine at the entrance to Schilling Roads. The submarine was seen to be hit and is believed to have been sunk."

A British plane also attacked "and probably sank" a German submarine in the same area on March 4, according to a British announcement.

Unofficial estimates placed the number of German submarines sunk since the beginning of the war at 50.

Allied Troops Await Finnish Word

FUNERAL OF LYN SMITH TODAY IN PONTIAC ARMORY

Hundreds Attend Service in Building He Dedicated Few Months Ago

Pontiac, Ill., March 12.—(AP)—Scores of state officials and hundreds of friends and acquaintances of F. Lynden Smith, director of the state department of public works and Democratic political leader found dead Saturday in a Springfield hospital, came to his home town today to attend his funeral.

The services, held in the new state armory which Director Smith dedicated only a few months ago, had a public-military aspect with uniformed National Guardsmen and state policemen appearing in bodies in the flower banked drill hall. There were seats for approximately 3,000 persons.

Through trains stopped to discharge passengers, many of them politicians who suspended primary campaign activities in various parts of the state to come here. One of the prominent figures attending the funeral was Mayor Edward J. Kelly of Chicago whom Smith aligned against as downstate campaign manager for Governor Henry Horner in the 1936 and 1938 primary campaigns.

Horner himself was absent, prevented from attending by poor health. Assistants of the chief executive, however, and fellow code department directors of Smith were present.

Harry B. Hershey, Democratic candidate for governor, and U. S. Senator James M. Slattery, candidate for renomination in the April Democratic primary, interrupted their campaign tours to attend the services.

Military honors for Smith were in recognition of his war service as a lieutenant in the army intelligence division. State police were paying their last respects to the man who had been their administrative chief for almost five years—the police patrol is a division of the department Smith directed.

No Hint of Discord

In the solemn air of townspeople and visitors, there was no hint of the political cross-currents which had passed through the more recent part of the director's career and which his friends said had caused him to lose his health from overwork and worry. It was a gathering in honor of the former Pontiac businessman returned from duties which heaped responsibilities of state office and party administration upon him.

The body of the 44-year-old state official, which was brought here from Springfield after he died in a hospital bathroom under circumstances which a coroner said indicated that he had taken his own life, lay in the Harris funeral home until noon.

Burial Thursday

It was taken to the armory for services conducted by the Rev. H. A. Cochrane of the First Methodist church. Burial was not to be until Thursday so that two of Director Smith's sisters who were enroute here from California might attend the final rite. The burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery, four miles north of the city.

Among close family members here were Mrs. Smith's 80-year-old mother, Mrs. Clara Smith, who came from Florida; his widow, Mrs. Marion Williams Smith, and his son, Francis Lynden Smith, Jr., a high school senior. The California sisters expected to arrive tomorrow evening are Mrs. Ida Viverette of Pasadena and Mrs. Gladys Cates of Berkeley.

DECORATIVE OFFICE

Washington, March 12.—(AP)—Senator Taft (R-Ohio) said last night "the office of president is largely decorative"—but he was referring to the presidency of the Ohio State society, to which he had just been elected.

Nation's First Ballot-Box Test of Third Term Issue in Bay State Today

Manchester, N. H., March 12.—(AP)—A handful of candidates—split in their choice of a Democratic standard-bearer—bucked a strong and well-organized slate of delegates pledged to President Roosevelt's re-nomination today in the nation's first primary ballot-box test of the third-term issue.

Robert H. Sanderson, minority leader in the New Hampshire house last year and treasurer of the Democratic state committee, who ran as an unpledged candidate for delegate-at-large, appeared to have the strongest chance of breaking through the Roosevelt line-up.

Personally-popular and perhaps the widest-known of the independent candidates, he emerged from retirement to campaign against a third term, asserting the ideals of the founding fathers included "changing laws to meet changing

Smith's Records May Be Probed by Federal Agencies

Springfield, Ill., March 12.—(AP)—Indications grew today that records of transactions by Public Works Director F. Lynden Smith, both in his capacity as supervisor of state building operations and as former manager of Illinois Democratic political campaigns, would be examined by investigators.

Smith, who died last Saturday in a hospital bathtub after he had been placed under observation for "mental depression", was formerly downstate campaign manager for the Horner organization in 1936 and 1938 and directed the Illinoisans, party campaign fund collection agency.

On the floor of the senate yesterday in Washington, Senator Clark (D-Mo.) asserted Smith "probably would be alive today" if the pending Hatch anti-politics bill had been law. Clark said that Smith had charge of political funds reported to total \$700,000 and that he committed suicide when an income tax investigation was started.

Clark added that it had never been suggested that Smith himself "ever profited personally from those funds", after Illinois senator Scott W. Lucas protested that Clark's statement was "too broad".

Probe Paving Contracts

In Chicago, federal anti-trust investigators probing methods of handling paving and other construction work said they would probably examine records of the Illinois department of public works and buildings which Smith headed. The anti-trust investigation was to determine whether contractors and building trades unions had violated laws by not using labor saving machinery and ready-mixed concrete in their operations.

Clark's assertion concerning campaign funds was an apparent reference to Smith's activity in the Illinois League and the Illinoisans, Democratic fund-raising agencies, now being sued for an accounting in the Sangamon county circuit court.

Attorneys for Sylvester Steskal, state police officer who filed the accounting action, were scheduled to present in court later today a motion to impound records of the Illinoisans. Witnesses in a deposition hearing Saturday testified Smith managed that agency until last fall.

Snow Falls on Northern Part of Midwest States

Chicago, March 12.—(AP)—Snow that reached a 6-inch depth in 12 hours at Minneapolis, Minn., fell over northern portions of the middle west today.

At the same time, a storm that centered over Oklahoma and Texas brought in moisture from the Gulf of Mexico and poured rain on southeastern states.

The snow belt extended from Colorado, the Dakotas and Nebraska, eastward to the Great Lakes, with the fall heaviest in South Dakota and Minnesota. Four to six inches was the range throughout those two states.

Minneapolis had six inches between 6:30 P. M. yesterday and 6:30 A. M. today, with the prospect of continued snow today and tonight.

New Bullet Proof Tank For U. S. Military Planes

Washington, March 12.—(AP)—A new "bullet proof" fuel tank—potentially more effective than the much publicized devices used in the air fleets of warring Europe—has been developed by the army and navy for American military planes.

Details are confidential, the war department said today, but authoritative sources indicated that the new tank, like those reported in use by Germany, France and England, depended on raw rubber to close bullet holes.

Differences are the combination of the sticky and elastic raw rubber with other materials, such as metal, fibre and vulcanized rubber.

Forget Weather, GET IN TREASURE HUNT, THEN SING

Tomorrow Night Will Be Gala Event in Dixon Despite March

Forget the weather, wake up and sing—Dixon's Spring Opening is just around the corner—that's the theme song of today's special edition of The Dixon Evening Telegraph.

Within the pages of this issue, 76 participating merchants have listed in detail the quality and prices of the very latest and finest in all lines of merchandise which will hold the center of attention during the Spring Opening event, scheduled for tomorrow evening. They've listed, too, a convenient directory of co-operating firms, to be used in obtaining clues for the Goodwill Treasure hunt, a new and novel feature planned especially for this spectacular opening celebration.

Spring Opening will be officially launched at 7 o'clock tomorrow evening when merchants flash on the lights in their show windows, giving residents of the Dixon trade area their first real look at new fashions, patterns, cuts and all the rest that's startling for spring, 1940.

Heed Suggestion

Chicago, March 12.—(AP)—A group of eight or nine Bachelors who ate regularly in a downtown restaurant were perturbed no end when the proprietor told them he was giving up the business.

To their remonstrances he replied: "Well, why don't you buy the restaurant and keep it going?"

That, precisely, was what three of them did after the others promised to continue their steady patronage and submit menu hints.

Terse News

POSTMASTERS TO MEET

Postmaster George Fruin has received a copy of the program for the annual Illinois Postmasters' Association convention to be held at Bellevue, Ill., April 1, 2, 3. Postmaster General James A. Farley is expected to be present at the meeting and Postmaster and Mrs. Fruin will attend the sessions.

BANTA PLANT ENTERED

The Banta ice cream plant was entered during the night and a small amount of change was taken from a metal box. The robbery, the second there in less than one week, was discovered when the place of business was opened this morning and Patrolman John Bohnstiel was summoned to investigate. Entrance was gained through a window, which was broken, and police believe that the depredation was committed by a small boy.

PURSE REPORTED STOLEN

A purse, containing more than \$16 in money and a government check which had been endorsed by the owner, was reported to have been taken from the South Central school yesterday. The purse had been left lying on a desk in the basement of the school in the morning and when the owner, Miss Madelyn Huggins, nursery school instructor, went for her property, it was missing and the loss was reported to the police.

MOTORISTS WARNED

Motorists were warned from Chicago today of hazardous driving conditions in parts of Illinois and Iowa. Freezing rains were reported in downstate Illinois and in eastern Iowa, the danger zone reportedly extending as far south as U. S. highway No. 40 in Illinois. It was expected driving conditions would become bad in the Chicago area by night.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION

Mrs. Viola Baker, who lives east of the water tank on Dement avenue, was found in an unconscious condition in her home Sunday by neighbors and her condition indicated that she had been lying on the floor in her home for more than 48 hours, apparently the victim of a stroke. She was removed to the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital and reports today were that she had failed to regain consciousness and was in a critical condition.

TAX NOTICES READY

County Treasurer Ward T. Miller was today completing the 1940 tax notices which are to be mailed out from the Dixon post office Wednesday morning. Real estate and personal tax notices will be mailed out to all sections of the county tomorrow excepting Dixon township, which will be placed in the mail about the middle of next week. All of the notices have been prepared and placed in the mail without any additional help in the treasurer's office.

BOY ADMITS BURGLARIES

A boy 11 years of age, has admitted to two burglaries at the John Thomas home, 322 Lincoln avenue, according to police reports and an investigation is being conducted today. A neighbor observed the youngster forcing an entrance to the house Sunday during the absence of the members of the Thomas family and notified the police. Patrolmen Jones and Bohnstiel responded and took the youth to the police station where he was questioned. A small bank containing \$1.66 was found

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Had Suicide Note

The policemen reported Boys carried a safety razor, blades and a note saying, "Notify my wife, I'll never be taken alive."

Boys said he had fled to Stanford's backyard and, while 80 officers in 40 automobiles spread a net and many hunted nearby, had fallen asleep. He decided to surrender after he awoke.

The DeBruicker girl, going home from a 4-H club meeting, was raped and beaten and strangled to death last July 21 on a golf course where Boys tended greens. He was arrested the next day and State Police Superintendent Donald F. Stiver said, confessed.

The case was venue from Fountain county. Boys pleaded insanity, but last Jan. 12 Judge Edgar A. Rice held him of sound mind.

The jail from which Boys escaped has been pronounced by county grand juries and the state fire marshal's office and welfare department as unfit for use.

After being informed of Boys' escape, state police ordered blockades at bridges and ferries to Kentucky at Lawrenceburg, Madison, Jeffersonville, Evansville, Cannelton and Rockport on the theory that the fugitive and an accomplice had headed south.

Boys had cut Jailer Anderson's arm with the broomstick and several stitches were taken in the wound. Anderson also was bruised on the head and abdomen and doctors ordered him to bed today.

LOCAL WEATHER

For the 24 hours ending at 7 p. m. Monday: maximum temperature 31, minimum 19; part cloudy.

Wednesday: sun rises at 6:16; sets at 6:04.

CLEAN POLITICS BILL ADVOCATES KEEP ACT ALIVE

Washington, March 12.—(AP)—The senate headed into a long, new discussion of anti-politics legislation today after supporters predicted that only a full-fledged filibuster could kill it.

The legislation, sponsored by Senator Hatch (D-NM), would broaden the Hatch law by placing state employees paid partly from federal funds under present restrictions against political activity by federal workers.

Although opponents joined forces yesterday with many farm state senators to try to displace it with the \$923,000,000 farm appropriation bill, the senate sprang a surprise and voted 47 to 36 to continue the week-long debate.

Republicans, who had been reported in tacit agreement with the proposal to take up the farm measure, voted solidly against shelving the Hatch legislation.

Republicans Tongue-Lashed

The decision came after Senator Minton (D-Ind.), the majority whip, had given the Republicans a tongue-lashing for their stand on the measure.

"Talk about pure politics!" Minton shouted. "The Republicans are trying to Hatch-act the Democrats out of Washington. They are playing smart politics, walking up to the line like a bunch of rubber stamps and voting for the Hatch act."

Although supporters of the Hatch measure hoped for a vote late today or tomorrow, Minton told reporters that "a vote in the next few days is impossible."

"We will debate it for two weeks if they make us," he said, adding that other legislation would be piling up in the senate.

Before taking up the Hatch bill today the senate approved and returned to the house for consideration of amendments the first deficiency appropriations bill.

Boosts House Bill

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Senator Minton Fears Democrats Will Hatch Out in Washington

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The legislation, sponsored by Senator Hatch (D-NM), would broaden the Hatch law by placing state employees paid partly from federal funds under present restrictions against political activity by federal workers.

Although opponents joined forces yesterday with many farm state senators to try to displace it with the \$923,000,000 farm appropriation bill, the senate sprang a surprise and voted 47 to 36 to continue the week-long debate.

Republicans, who had been reported in tacit agreement with the proposal to take up the farm measure, voted solidly against shelving the Hatch legislation.

Republicans Tongue-Lashed

The decision came after Senator Minton (D-Ind.), the majority whip, had given the Republicans a tongue-lashing for their stand on the measure.

"Talk about pure politics!" Minton shouted. "The Republicans are trying to Hatch-act the Democrats out of Washington. They are playing smart politics, walking up to the line like a bunch of rubber stamps and voting for the Hatch act."

Although supporters of the Hatch measure hoped for a vote late today or tomorrow, Minton told reporters that "a vote in the next few days is impossible."

"We will debate it for two weeks if they make us," he said, adding that other legislation would be piling up in the senate.

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Contempt Charge Brought Against Complaining Cop

Springfield, Ill., March 12.—(AP)—Contempt of court proceedings against Sylvester Steskal, state policeman who brought a \$200,000 Democratic campaign fund accounting suit against nine state officials were pressed today by attorneys for the defendants.

Attorney Edmund Burke charged in a circuit court petition that Steskal recently obtained injunction

American Fashions ---Suits and Coats

American Stylists to Set the Pace in Men's Fashions

Comfort, conservatism and quality may be said to be the three essentials most desired by men in their suits and topcoats this spring.

For the first time in some years, American fashion is coming into its own. With Europe at war and with its mills and manufacturing houses operating under wartime conditions, the American fashion originator has a great opportunity of producing and popularizing his own merchandise.

Results of this condition are seen in the decline of the English influence on men's clothes. This spring suits are cut with wide shoulders, lots of arm room and trousers are built to wear well and fit easily.

Rough Materials Popular
There is an upturn in the use of rough materials. Tweeds and shetlands that were seen in the country and at sports events are now coming into their own for office wear and business use.

As far as design goes, most suits will be made with single-breasted coats. They are somewhat longer than those of last year and are made with either three or four buttons. They may have patch pockets and their cut and appearance gives the wearer a feeling of comfort and leisure.

Most trousers are pleated and are cut slightly higher than those of last year. They may be somewhat narrower, but this trend is certainly not extreme.

Many Stripes and Plaids
There are the usual flannels in both solid gray and blue and gray with white pin stripes. In addition, there are lots of saxones, shetlands and tweeds. Many of them are in striped designs which is a characteristic touch of 1940.

In addition there are lots of plaids and in some of these the horizontal lines are stressed and again give the stripe motif.

There will be some covert worn although this fabric, much touted last spring, is more popular now when used in slacks and in topcoats. Colors run to browns, blues and grays. Many of them are of mixed weave with touches of red and, in some cases, green, combined particularly with blue. It is even possible to find red, brown and green all mixed in the new striped fabrics.

The man who looks well in double-breasted suits need not think that this style is completely out. It is not. The solid gray double-breasted flannel suit will always be good. The same holds true of sharkskins and some of the hard finished worsteds. They are perennial favorites and will always be seen on well-dressed men.

The first Roman who wore a crown was Tarquin the Elder, in 616 B. C.

Easter Brides May Don Slim Sheath Gown

Vari - Colored Flowers Add Gaiety To Entourage

Primrose yellow, dream blue, and other exquisite pale pastels make their bow in the bridal processions this spring. The shining white bride finds a new "veiled pillow" complementary to her slim sheath gown with long, full train.

Multicolor flowers add gaiety to many wedding processions, as the brides this spring choose new colorings for their bridal entourage.

Contrasting with the slim beauty of new bridal gowns, the romantic full-skirted frocks worn by attendants make a beautiful picture. New-looking, too, are the bridesmaids' gowns, as slim as draped sheaths, in satin, and soft crepes or even jersey. Low

fulness and very slight trains may be used to allow grace in walking, and more sophisticated gowns chosen by maids of honor may be as elegantly slim and draped as that worn by the new bride of 1940.

Exquisite Sheers
For the bride who will be a "picture," spring 1940 offers a bridal gown of exquisite flowing lace or chiffon, or crisp old-fashioned styles in marquisette or organza. Tiers of ruffles are borrowed from grandmother's day, and are copied in the quaint frocks worn by the bridesmaids. Lovely bonnets frame pretty faces, or floating veils from tiny pillbox hats may be chosen for the more modern costume.

Head-dresses are designed in complete harmony with the gown and the formality of the occasion, ranging from the swathed, turban with loose floating veil, to the "bonnet" with its quaint white flowers worn far back to frame the face.

NELSON

By Mrs. M. C. Stitzel
Nelson — Mr. and Mrs. Harry Minton entertained Mr. and Mrs. Ray Salmon of Sterling at dinner Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ortgiesen visited relatives in Oak Park and River Forest a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carroll and children who occupied one of the Ortgiesen houses moved to Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. William Weber have moved in the property vacated by the Carrolls.

Mrs. Charlotte Lebeck of Burlington, Ia., who was here to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs.

Effie Parks, was entertained during her stay here by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Stitzel. She returned to her home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson of Sterling were supper guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Eastabrook.

Mrs. Flora Kimball of Sterling is visiting her sister, Mrs. Hannah Janssen for a few days and they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Minton at dinner Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Liggett of West Chicago spent a day last week with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bohlen.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Henderson of Chicago were callers at the M. C. Stitzel home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bellows who have lived on the Talmadge farm for the past couple of years have moved south of Rock Falls on a farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Schrock of Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Stitzel and Mr. and Mrs. H. A.

IT'S A "BUSTLE WAR"

Peoria, Ill.—(AP)—The present European conflict in the opinion of General Smedley D. Butler is a "bustle war" — having all shape and no substance.

The retired marine officer used that terminology last night in an address before a Peoria club in which he declared there were only two things worth fighting for—defense of home, women and children and defense of the bill of rights.

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Miladys' Hats For Easter to Surprise Men

Caricature Is 'Out' As
Charm, Color Take
Feminine Fancy

Easter—always the signal for the appearance of new Easter hats for the American ladies—has long been accompanied by the trembling anticipation of the American male.

In the past few years, he has succumbed silently, though unwillingly, to the Eugenic trocane, the baby bonnet, the skyscraper crown. By this time, he has been through most of the pernicious forms of millinery madness, as evidenced by his female tormentors, and is ready for just about anything.

This year, he will have a pleasant surprise. Hats do have a definite character and personality, to be sure. But the idea of caricature or exaggeration is definitely "out." Naturally, there are some women who seem fated to choose the wrong hats—but at least this spring they will have an abundance of charming and becoming styles from which to choose. Hence, the margin of error is bound to be lessened. In fact, just about every type of woman is accounted for in the Easter lineup. The hats are all different, yet alike in their purpose—to bring out the charm and femininity of their wearers.

Charmingly Naive
The Victorian and southern in-

RED RYDER



The Detective



By FRED HARMAN



fluences have cajoled some charming bonnets and tiny hats from the leading millinery designers. These are copied in every price level, but are not extreme or difficult to wear. They have a tendency to soften the face, and are charmingly naive with their feathers, bows and many types of veils. Straw, belting and satin are used for these "little" hats, as well as felt. Naturally, they are primarily for the small or youthful face.

Flower hats are enjoying continued popularity. Little toques made completely of daisies, sweet peas, pansies or other small, artificial flowers will grace the head of many a smart woman. These have an especial charm and dignity for older women, and also have the ability to flatter unsophisticated types.

There are small sailors, too, made ingeniously and trimmed with velvet ribbons, veils or snoods. Colors are legion—rang-

ing from white to bright reds, or "natural" flower shades.

Calot Is New Trend
A new and interesting trend to watch is the calot or skullcap hat, which is making an entrance this Easter. Tiny velvets, satins, straws—often trimmed with a solitary rose or ribbon "chou" are being featured by the more high-fashion milliners. These are worn far back on the head, and usually have a face veil to set them off. They reveal a considerable portion of the face, so are recommended primarily for those with well-defined features.

Another style of hat that seems slated for a large share of interest is the cloche—the simple, small hat that is worn casually and without fuss. Almost invariably it is felt, with or without ribbon binding, and is effectively worn turned up or down. This year, it will be seen with suits as well as coats and tailored dresses in a variety of sizes and innumerable colors.

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ilton to Edw. Hermes, et ux.

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1st Nat. Bk Amboy to Mary Rose Dunphy.

Prud. Ins. Co. to James F. McCullough.

E. E. Raymond, Tr. to Est. of H. Hewitt Emmert, dec'd.

Hubbard Milling Co. to Ella V. Kennedy.

Dixon Loan & Bldg. to Alfred G. Robinson, et ux.

COPELEY ONE OF MANY

Washington.—(AP)—A report to the clerk of the house showed that Ira C. Copeley, of Aurora, Ill., was one of many Republicans through the country who contributed \$1,000 to the G. O. P. national committee for the coming campaign.

In 1939 the average consumption of gasoline by each car was 731 gallons compared with 704 gallons in 1938.

AGAINST CLEAN POLITICS

Washington.—(AP)—Illinois' two senators, Scott W. Lucas and James M. Slattery, both Democrats, were listed in the senate roll call as voting for shelving legislation to curb political activities of state employees paid in whole or part with federal funds. Senator Slattery was announced as paired with Senator Wiley (R-Wis.), who was against shelving. The senate's vote yesterday was 47 to 36 against putting the proposed legislation aside.

John Adams probably started the custom of observing the Fourth of July as a national holiday. When the Declaration of Independence was signed, July 4, 1776, he said the day "ought to be solemnized with pomp and parade, with guns, bells and bonfire."

WHO IS Fremont M. Kaufman

Republican Candidate for
State's Attorney



WHERE BORN?

At Compton, Lee County, Illinois, in 1908, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kaufman.

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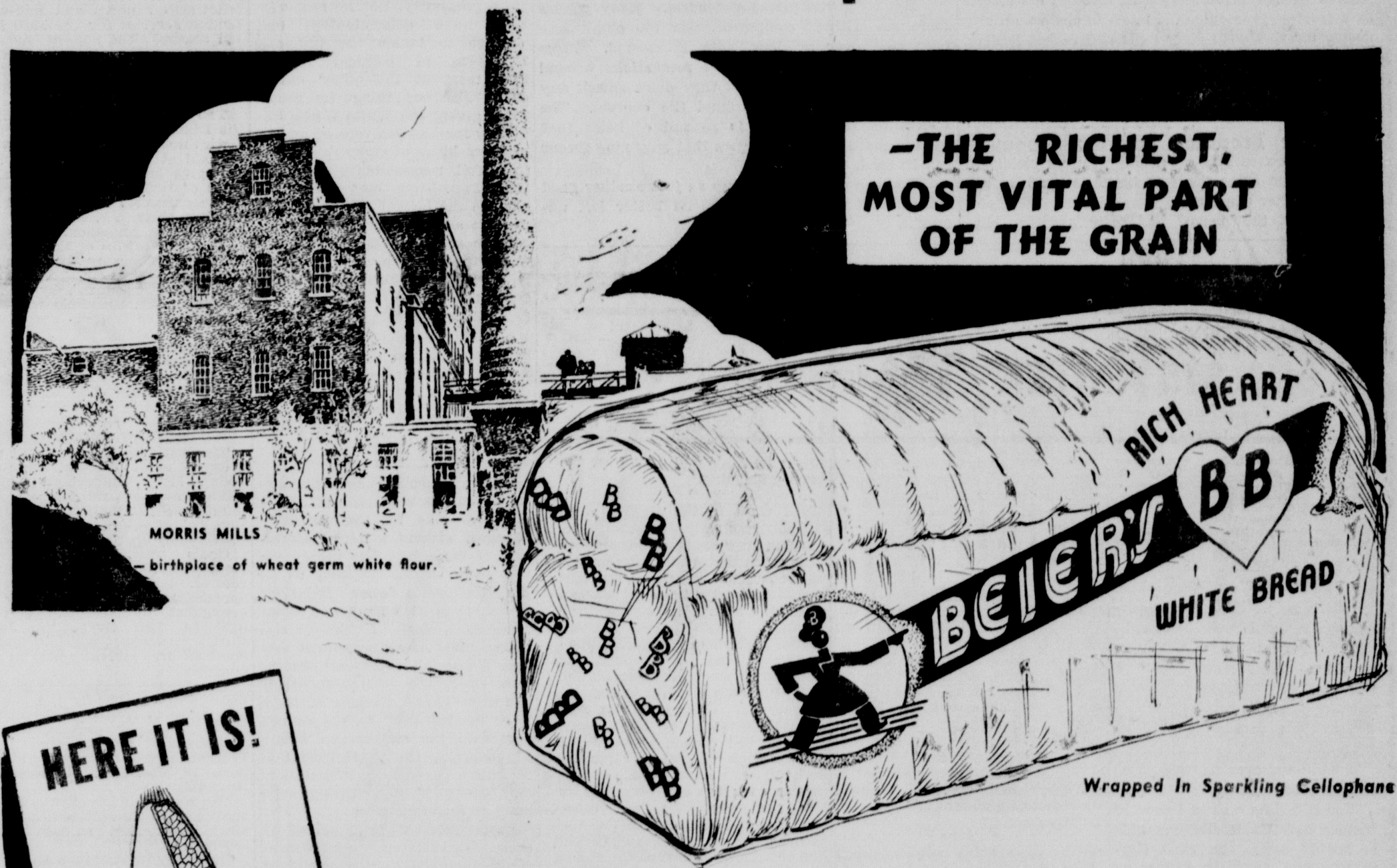
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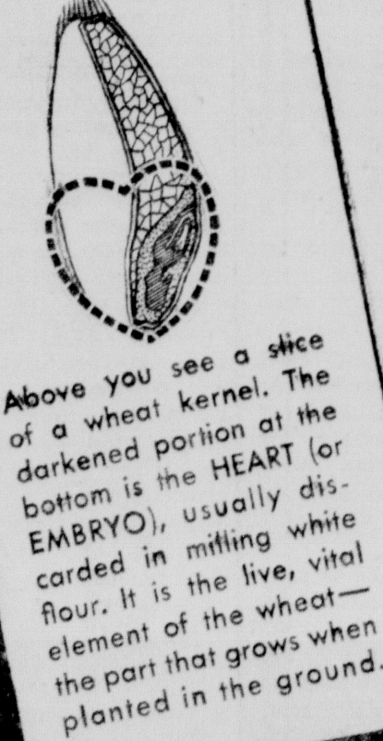
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Dwight H. Green

Farmer City, Ill. Journal—Farmer City was honored Thursday morning by a visit from Dwight H. Green, Republican candidate for the nomination for governor of the great state of Illinois. Mr. Green spent an hour here meeting and shaking hands with our people.

At the height of a strenuous campaign, when minutes are at a premium, Dwight H. Green took a precious hour of his limited time and spent it in Farmer City while on his way to Clinton where he was scheduled for an address that afternoon.

The consensus of opinion of all who had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Green is that a more sincere, more friendly or more pleasant personality would be difficult to find.

His fine personality coupled with his extraordinary ability as an executive and business leader makes him an ideal candidate for the head of any state government. His reputation as a racket-buster, his honesty and sincerity are just what Illinois needs. He will make an outstanding governor.

Dwight H. Green was selected by the federal government as the best person with the ability and courage to prosecute the Chicago gangsters at a time when the great metropolis was over-ridden with such characters as Al Capone. He sent the leaders to the penitentiary and through his efforts as a fearless prosecutor did much to clean up a city deeply infested with gang lords and racketeers.

He will, if nominated and elected governor, clean up another sorry mess now existing in our own state administration.

Is It a Breather Between Booms?

What looked like a sensibly gradual pickup in business soon after the war began, slowed up appreciably after Christmas.

Most of the "boom" had been inventory buy-

ing. Except for the psychological influence exerted by the war, Europe was not directly responsible for better business conditions here.

But if the war really gets going this spring, then what? The allies are going to need goods. And if they need supplies, they will turn first to the United States.

Confidence in the impending expansion of American business is voiced by the Annalist, national business magazine. Despite the opportunities for profits, the Annalist is not happy about the forthcoming "boom." The hangover, the magazine fears, will be as excruciating as the prosperity will be intense.

The allies, it must be remembered, have substantial funds available for purchase of supplies in this country. If these funds are spent, every person in the country will feel the effects of the resultant upswing in business. There will come a time when the money is gone. Under the terms of the Johnson act, no nation indebted to the United States as a result of the last war, may obtain new credit here. If the act is enforced, buying will have to stop abruptly.

When this happens, it is conceivable that the United States will be faced with a great temptation. To avert a recession, pressure may be started to extend credit, first slowly and then unreservedly, to France and Britain. The immediate effect will be pleasant. Factories will continue to produce and prosperity will be prolonged.

But if this were to happen, the ultimate result would be even more sordid from an economic point of view than was that of the last post-war era. The new debts would be piled on top of the old. And trying to collect would be even more futile than it has been since 1920.

We shall have to tread cautiously in the months to come. We've got to keep asking ourselves, when we're tempted, "What will it be like 20 years from now?"

Shells Don't Yell 'Fore'

Come the first honest-to-goodness day of spring and the robins are really about to stay, no fooling, and the weather is warm enough for you to run to the corner grocery store without your muffler, golfers will breathe deeply three times and will start fondling their clubs in a way all fairway artists get to learn.

The next thing you know, all the country clubs and public links will be swarming with people who are going to break 90 or quit—and never do either.

Not so in war-ravaged Madrid. Many golfers there are without equipment, and 700 clubs have been sent over by New York sportsmen. Those Madrildinos who still have a few sticks around have got to be careful that they don't smack any unexploded shells lying around the courses. The Puerta de Hierro course is so full of holes that weren't made by divot-diggers that only nine greens can be used.

You can stack all that up as just another good reason why wars would be much better left unfought.

News Behind THE NEWS

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Washington, March 11.—John Garner's personal conversations with his colleagues around the senate have established more definitely than the public yet knows what kind of a president he proposes to be.

His position has kept him from submitting a platform. As vice president he cannot very well undertake to take the stump against certain new deal policies or offer his remedies. He has fully respected the requirements of his office in developing his campaign. Not a word of public comment on the issues of the day has escaped his lips in seven years.

But he has energetically tried on the inside to alter the course of some new deal policies, always to the president's face. News of his self-effacing and courageous stands was bound to leak out of the party councils. Indeed the campaign for him was started because the country understood through the press the general outlines of the positions he has taken which found favor in many minds. But among his party associates and closest friends there exists a more detailed and emphatic understanding of what he would like to do, which can here now be set forth with some assurance.

Garner would devote himself first to three major corrections of policy—on fiscal affairs, unemployment, and farm relief.

The vice president knows the budget cannot be balanced overnight. Nor does he follow the glib contention that a painful balancing would automatically restore prosperity. But he seems to have more determination and courage to tackle the problem, regardless of political results, than most of the other candidates. For one thing he would favor giving the White House authority for an item veto of appropriation bills, whereby he would take full responsibility for cutting down. First thing needed to balance the budget in his mind is to have a president who wants to balance it, and he certainly wants to. Only other thing needed is to keep a politically minded congress from thwarting the president's desires.

His thirty-seven years experience in congress have centered mainly in fiscal affairs and he undoubtedly is better equipped to carry out his determination than anyone else in the race in either party.

Garner would unquestionably try to cure a multitude of unemployment sins by administrative changes, without material alteration of basic law. His theory on this seems to be the same as on the National Labor Relations Board, Securities Exchange Commission, Social Security, and many other new government setups. These all represent absorption of power in too-ambitious executive hands. If some of them were handed back to the courts, others to the states, and others to congress, the decentralization of authority would automatically cure many of the existing evils now surrounding them.

Employment would be aided by sheer stabilization of governmental action. Business would be given a clear statement of what it could expect from government and upon which it could depend.

Correctives on farm relief, last of the major Garner trio, would undoubtedly be assigned to satisfactory experts on the problem. But Garner's criticism of existing farm policies has been caustic and rather complete. He certainly would not continue to "let crops spoil and be eaten up by weevils" in home farm bins unequipped for storage.

On national defense he is nearly as strong an advocate of a big navy as Roosevelt. But he would have no peace plans for a new world order, although he has been devoting 2 or 3 hours nightly reading the issue on the subject lately. The issue of our involvement in the war has already been settled by the people in his opinion, and that fully satisfies him.

For a cabinet, he would run the scale of political emotions, from a type of liberal like Mayor LaGuardia of New York, to a type of intellectual conservative like Representative Jimmy Wadsworth of New York. (These names are mentioned, only for illustration as Garner himself once used them in this way in a conversation with a senator.) The only other requirement he would insist upon from cabinet officers is that they tell him the truth.

All of this makes it even more apparent than it has always been that the efforts to classify Garner as a conservative are merely political arguments for a political purpose. He is the only man in

News in Brief

—Roast Pork Supper I. O. O. F. Hall Amboy, Thurs, Mar. 14, 40c 5 p. m.

Adv. 6111* Mrs. Nellie Garrett, Mrs. Frances Stone and Mrs. Temperance Tilton, all of Amboy, were Monday shoppers in Dixon.

The Amboy Rebekah lodge is sponsoring a roast pork supper, Thursday evening, starting at 5 o'clock in the I. O. O. F. hall there.

Warren Burns, student at Northern Illinois State Teachers college in DeKalb, has returned to his studies after a week end visit at home.

Mrs. W. S. Foster has returned to her home in Danville, after a week's visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Miles. Mr. Foster and daughter, and Miss Corrine Seibert spent the week end at the Miles apartment.

—Rummage Sale, St. Luke's ch. Sat., Mar. 16, 8:30 a. m.-4 p. m. Adv. 6111*

Otto Rettke of Eldena was in Dixon yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Walker spent Sunday in Aurora, visiting Mrs. Walker's youngest sister, who submitted to an operation at the Copley hospital on Saturday.

John Naylor, who attends Northern Illinois State Teachers college in DeKalb, spent the week end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kettman of Lemont, Ill. spent Sunday at the M. A. Laverty home, assisting with a celebration of Theresa Marie Laverty's sixth birthday anniversary.

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Church News

AT METHODIST CHURCH On Wednesday evening at the Methodist church there will be held the last of a series of church fellowship suppers and mid-week Lenten services for the 1940 Lenten season. The supper meeting this week will be sponsored by the Wesleyan society and the program will include some very interesting features.

The three delegates representing the Dixon Methodist church at a district meeting of Methodist women held at Sandwich last Friday will give brief reports of the results of that important meeting. The delegates are Mrs. W. E. Whitson, Mrs. A. N. Boyd and Miss Estella Anderson.

Another feature of the program will be a reading by Miss Marjorie Blewfield entitled "When the Great Guest Comes," by Edwin Markham. Dr. Blewfield will have charge of the Lenten chapel service.

All members and friends of the church are invited to both the supper at 6:30 p. m. which is cooperative in nature, and the service which begins at 7:30 o'clock.

BETHEL CHURCH The last day of the revival was a day of great blessing. The evangelist, Rev. Vanderjagt, spoke three times to a full house, and a number sought the Lord for salvation, bringing the total number of conversions up to thirty-two.

God's people received great blessing during the two weeks of revival. About one hundred responded to the invitation of the evangelist to consecrate and rededicate their lives to Jesus Christ. An effort will be made to continue the revival spirit in the church.

The prayer meeting Wednesday night will be led by the pastor, and followed by the choir rehearsal.

Thursday evening the Loyal Workers class will meet at the home of Mrs. Ruth Atebery, 519 Assembly Place.

The Rev. Q. A. Deck will be the speaker next Sunday and communion will be served at both church services.

Quarterly conference was conducted Monday evening.

the Roosevelt government who has had the courage to stand up continuously for what he believes, even if it entailed an argument with the boss. He alone also refused to flee in the face of third term rumors. Consequently, he has aroused the antagonism of the leftist groups within the administration and they have been circulating rather vicious personal attacks upon him because they feared him. (John Lewis' characterization of Garner as a "poker playing, whiskey drinking, labor baiting, evil old man" was the worst of the unintended compliments from this school of thought.) The reward of courage in politics is abuse.

But Garner was a liberal when most of these boys, not including Lewis, were in rompers. He voted for all the reforms of the Wilson administration, led yearly scraps in the house against what he called the three M's—Mellon, Morgan and Mills.

If it were not for the bitterness from this source, he would be the unquestioned, outstanding candidate for the Democratic nomination. He qualifies for it by all other considerations: his successive steps upward from Texas legislator to the house, to speaker of the house, to vice president; his expert background in fiscal and foreign affairs committees in the house; the respect for his judgment on government and politics as evidenced in the continuous private calls of Democratic legislators to his office for counsel and advice. He was even born in a log cabin.

Years Ago

(From Dixon Telegraph)

38 YEARS AGO

E. Krug has turned over to Mayor Truman \$12.50 collected among the employees of the milk factory to be forwarded for the Boer war fund.

Isajah Stainbrook, an aged resident of Compton, died very suddenly this morning while seated in a chair at his home.

The death of John B. Ford occurred this morning at his home, 606 Depot avenue.

25 YEARS AGO

Albert L. Forney passed away last evening at the hospital of pneumonia.

William P. England, Grand De-

tour pioneer, passed away at his home last night.

10 YEARS AGO

Joseph J. Wirth of this city was the victim of an automobile accident last night near Oregon which cost him his life.

Clyde H. Lenox of this city has been appointed to the position of cashier of the Rochelle Trust & Savings bank.

United States Senator Charles S. Deneen spoke at the court house yesterday afternoon.

Lodge News

40 & 8—Lee county voiture No. 409 will meet in the Knights of Columbus club rooms at 8 o'clock this evening. Important business will be discussed.

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Society News

Singer and Violinist Are Heard in Joint Concert

Shortly after 8 o'clock last night, a huge music-loving throng in the Dixon high school auditorium quieted, the lights blinked, and John Neher, young bass-baritone from Chicago, was applauded to the platform to open a concert program, in which he collaborated with another young Chicagoan, David Moll, violinist, under auspices of the Dixon Concert League. And, if one were to judge by applause from the audience that filled well over 150 seats in the auditorium, the evening's honors were divided three ways instead of two, for the piano accompaniments furnished by Miss Clara Siegel were something close to perfection.

For his opening group, the 28-year-old singer chose an Italian aria, "Il lacerato spirito," from Verdi's "Simon Boccanegra." "When the King Went Forth to War," by Koenenman, and "Au Pays," by Holmes, in which a French sergeant registers erstwhile disappointment upon returning from war to find his sweetheart, Jeanette, married to another.

And while last night's audience was inclined to show a slight preference for the digital gymnastics of the violinist to the vocal efforts of the singer, there was also a ready inclination to grant that Mr. Neher does make himself understood throughout the gamut of concert languages, that his pianissimo singing is thoroughly pleasing, and that he possesses a genuine gift for humorous songs.

Lalo "Symphonie" The contrasting movements of Lalo's "Symphonie Espagnole" were alive and warm with color as they reached the audience through Mr. Moll's nimble fingers and his melo-toned violin. Looking scarcely his 24 summers, the dark-haired violinist took well-rounded high tones and liquid low notes in his stride with equal ease, and no one could fail to appreciate the skill of his bow work.

Returning to the platform for his second group, Mr. Neher chose the familiar Wagnerian aria, "O Thou Sublime, Sweet Evening Star

"Hora Staccato," a Rumanian cafe dance, whose lilting passages and sparkling staccato don't seem to end—they just stop.

Flare for Humor

It was in Mr. Neher's concluding number, McGimsey's "Shad-rack," that the singer demonstrated to best advantage his ability to abstract the highest essence of humor from a song. The preceding numbers in his final group were "Myself When Young" from the Persian Garden Suite, Fisher's Spanish Gold, the "Deep River" spiritual and the dramatic "Hunger Song," by Cui. For encore, he sang "Home on the Range."

As the applause continued, Mr. Neher returned to the platform to sing "Dannie Boy," with Mr. Moll adding a satisfying obbligato. During intermission, Walter L. Larsen of Chicago reminded the local league members that the final program of their 1939-40 concert series would be presented by the Saldenbergh Symphonietta on Tuesday evening, April 23. Mr. Larsen is managing director of the National Concert League, under whose management Dixon Concert League programs are planned. On Monday evening, April 1, holders of Dixon Concert League tickets will be privileged to see Liza Paranova, dancer, perform at Consistory auditorium in Freeport, under auspices of the Freeport Co-Operative association.

Pianist Takes Bow At the close of the DeFalla number, a storm of applause rose, which was intended for the accompanist as well as Mr. Moll. The violinist smiled his pleasure at the audience's appreciation of Miss Siegel's skill in weaving pulsating tom tom effects at the keyboard, and was quick to share his bow with her. (Certainly the effects attained by both violinist and singer throughout the evening could not have been achieved with such completeness if their accompanist had been less able, less sensitive than Clara Siegel, who appears to have worked out every effect with mathematical precision. Her dusty pink gown with its draped skirt and long, fitted sleeves, contrasted beautifully with her dark hair.)

By way of good measure, Mr. Moll returned for three more encores, "Melody," written for flute by Charles Davies and arranged for violin by Kreisler; the Gluck "Melody," and Jascha Heifetz's

Catholic Women Entertain With Second Banquet

Miss Regina O'Connell of Chicago, distinguished director of social service for the Catholic Youth organization, came to Dixon last evening to address women of St. Patrick Catholic Women's club and their daughters at the club's second annual Mother-Daughter banquet. Approximately 250 guests attended the affair, which was held in St. Mary's hall. In June last year, Miss O'Connell sailed for Caracas, Venezuela, as a member of the Mission for Social Service, to lay the foundation for a broad program for social welfare for the South American nation. She was entrusted with recommendations relating to child welfare, and merited high praise from Venezuelan officials for her foresightedness.

In January of this year, the speaker attended the fourth White House conference on Children in a Democracy, called by President Franklin D. Roosevelt in Washington, D. C. Present-day problems of young people and sugges-

Calendar

Tuesday

Mt. Morris grade school—Will present operetta, "The White Gypsy."

Mrs. H. L. Wadsworth's class, St. Paul's church—At Mrs. Wayne Wolfe's home.

Dixon High school P. T. A.—Book review by Mrs. W. S. Colley in high school music room, 7:30 p. m.

Girl Scouts, Troop No. 5—Mother-Daughter party at North Central school; investiture ceremony.

First Presbyterian church—Fellowship dinner, 6:30 P. M.; Dr. F. L. Blewfield, speaker.

Wednesday

Dixon unit, American Legion Auxiliary—Rag sewing, 10 a. m.; scramble luncheon; round table.

Friendly Eight—Mrs. O. H. Heckman, hostess.

South Dixon Community club—All-day meeting at Mrs. Day Welty's home.

Ideal club—Mrs. Ella Ireland, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

Palmyra Aid Society—All-day meeting at home of Mrs. Hattie Weisz.

Thursday

Nachusa Teacher's Reading circle—Lucy Brill, hostess. Twentieth Century Literary club—Mrs. Gus Wimpleberg, hostess.

Dixon Household club—All-day meeting, election and quilting at Mrs. Clifford Clymer's home.

Thursday Reading circle—Mrs. Herbert Scott, hostess, 2:30 P. M.

Loyal Workers—Mrs. Orville Attebury, hostess, 7:30 P. M.

Nachusa W. M. S.—Mrs. Charles Shippert, hostess, 2 P. M.

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tions for their solution comprised the conference program.

Last evening, Miss O'Connell was sharing her widespread experiences in the field of Catholic charity with the banquet-goers. Her story presented a vivid picture of the social service program being carried on by Catholic organizations, both in this country and abroad.

The remainder of the evening's program included violin selections by Mrs. William MacLeod, accompanied on the piano by her sister, Mrs. Willard Jones; vocal numbers by the Lincoln school teachers' quartet, the Misses LeVina Johnson, Alice Crandall, Savilla Palmer, and Mercedes Moore, with Mrs. Margaret Richards at the piano; a tribute to the daughters by Mrs. Vincent Arnold, and response by Miss Julia Ann Fenton. Mrs. Marie B. Hettler, the club president, presided as toastmistress and introduced the speaker.

Appointments on the long dinner tables reflected the approach of St. Patrick's Day in green tapers and green carnations. White nutcrackers on a verdant shamrock carried the green and white theme to the covers. The Rev. Fathers T. L. Walsh, Leonard Guzzardo, James J. Burke and C. W. Caine were special guests.

Mrs. James Jordan and Mrs. Philip Reilly were co-chairmen for the event.

Chapter AC Has Annual Election

The chapter's annual election of officers interested members of Chapter AC, P. E. O. Sisterhood, yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Claude Horton. Mrs. A. F. Moore was retained as president for another year, and her staff includes:

Vice president, Mrs. Wilbur Hutchinson; recording secretary, Mrs. F. J. Robinson; corresponding secretary, Miss Lois Coppins; treasurer, Miss Josephine Nichols; chaplain, Mrs. F. L. Hamilton; guard, Mrs. Forrest Trautwein; historian, Mrs. W. H. Coppins; pianists, Mrs. W. H. Haefliger and Miss Clara Armstrong.

Mrs. Gordon Overstreet presiding at the tea table, following the business meeting, Miss Dorothy Armstrong was Mrs. Horton's co-hostess.

READING CIRCLE

Mrs. Herbert Scott will be hostess to members of the Thursday Reading circle at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

LURLINE CLUB

Mrs. Theodore Fuller will entertain members of the Lurline club at luncheon and bridge tomorrow.

CONCERT DATE

Another concert date which Dixon music lovers will be circling on their calendars is Friday evening, April 19, when Orville Westgor will present the Dixon high school orchestra in a varied program in the high school auditorium.

ROYAL CARDINALS WILL BE HOSTS

Further plans for the Sportsmanship banquet, which they have planned for Thursday evening as a goodwill gesture to the Sterling and Dixon basketball teams, occupied Royal Cardinals at their business meeting last evening. President Henry Whitebread appointed committees for the event, which is to take place in St. Mary's hall.

A 6:30 o'clock Italian dinner is expected to start the evening off successfully, and will be followed by a program planned by Chairman Earl Nolan and his committee. Lyle Snader is to preside as master of ceremonies.

The Misses Josephine Bevilacqua and Cathryn Buchner head the serving committee, the Misses Sadie Brant and Eileen Bracken are to be responsible for decorations, and Don Campbell and Stanley Legner are reception chairmen.

Final reports on arrangements for the ambitious undertaking will be heard at a special meeting of the club at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evening at St. Mary's hall.

MICHIGAN GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lee left yesterday afternoon for their home in Cold Water, Mich., after visiting since Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sterling of DeMent avenue. Mrs. Lee will be remembered as the former Miss Bernice Jocelyn, whose parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. James C. Jocelyn of Dixon.

NACHUSA CIRCLE

Members of the Nachusa Teacher's Reading circle will meet Thursday evening at the home of Lucy Brill.

The East River, which separates Manhattan and the Bronx from Brooklyn and Queens is 16 miles long.

WALKER-MERCER NUPTIALS ARE READ IN IOWA

Marriage vows were spoken Saturday afternoon by Miss Gertrude Mercer and George H. Walker, both of Dixon, at the parsonage of the First Christian church in Davenport, Iowa. The Rev. C. K. Gillum read the vows at 1 o'clock.

Mrs. William Miller of Moline, the bridegroom's cousin, was the bride's only attendant, and Mr. Miller served as best man.

Miss Mercer, who is the eldest daughter of Mrs. Eva Mercer of 807 Third street, chose an all-navy ensemble for her bridal attire. Mrs. Miller was wearing brown.

After the ceremony, a wedding dinner was served at the Miller home. The couple returned to Dixon last evening, and will reside at the bridegroom's home, 1215 Fargo avenue.

Mrs. Walker has been bookkeeper at Kline's department store for the past four years. She sings with the Christian church choir, and is a member of the Monday Nighters club. Mr. Walker is employed as lineman by the Illinois Northern Utilities company.

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Markets at a Glance

New York—
Stocks irregular; early rally fades.
Bonds improved; foreign loans in demand.
Foreign exchange nervous; sterling in new slump.
Cotton steady; domestic support offsets foreign liquidation.
Sugar narrow; commission and operator buying.
Metals quiet; export copper demands slackens.
Wool tops mixed; short covering, commission and local selling.
Chicago—
Wheat weak, peace rumors in Finland.
Corn weak, slow demand.
Cattle strong to 25 higher.
Hogs steady to a higher; top 5.40.

Chicago Grain Table

WHEAT	Open	High	Low	Close
May	1.037 1/2	1.04 1/2	1.02 1/2	1.03 1/2
July	1.02 1/2	1.02 1/2	1.00 1/2	1.01
Sept.	1.01 1/2	1.02	1.00 1/2	1.00 1/2
CORN				
May	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
July	57 1/2	57 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Sept.	57 1/2	57 1/2	56 1/2	57 1/2
OATS				
May	42 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
July	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Sept.	33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
SOY BEANS				
May	1.17 1/2	1.17 1/2	1.16 1/2	1.16 1/2
July	1.13 1/2	1.13 1/2	1.12 1/2	1.12 1/2
RYE				
May	67 1/2	67 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
July	68 1/2	68 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Sept.	69 1/2	69 1/2	67 1/2	68 1/2
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Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, March 12 (AP)—No cash wheat.
Corn No. 1 yellow 58 1/2@59 1/4; No. 2 58 1/2@59 1/4; No. 3 57 1/2@58 1/4; No. 4 59 1/4.
Oats No. 1 mixed 43 1/2; No. 2 42 1/2; sample grade mixed 40 1/2; No. 2 white 44@45; No. 3 43@44.
Barley malting 55@64 nom; feed 40@50 nom.
Soy beans No. 4 yellow 1.15 1/2.
Field seed per cent nom; timothy seed 4.90@5.25; sweet clover 4.50@5.25; red clover 12.50@15.00; red top 8.50@9.00; alfalfa 18.00@23.00.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, March 12 (AP)—Salable hogs 16,000; total 20,000; active on weights 220 lbs up, steady to 5 higher than Monday's average; lighter weights mostly steady; top 5.40; bulk good and choice 180-240 lbs 5.15@4.00; 240-270 lbs 4.90@5.20; 270-320 lbs 4.75@5.00; heavy weights 4.60@5.75; good 400-550 lbs packing sows 4.10@4.00; lighter weights to 4.50.
Salable cattle 5,500; salable calves 1,200; most killing classes strong to 25 higher, moderately active; common and medium grade steers strong on killer accounts, but where such kinds have feeder merit strong to 25 higher on country accounts; replacement market very active at 9.00 down to 7.50 and below; very common stockers wanted down to 6.25; meaty feeders to 9.00 and better; well bred western yearlings up to 10.00 late Monday, with southwest bred stock calves to 11.00; most killing steers today 8.25@10.00; choice kinds absent; best 11.50; very little done 10.50; cows up to 7.50 on Colorado scaling 1,100 lbs, most beef cows 6.00@7.00; cutters 5.00@5.50; practical top weighty choice kinds, best 12.00; light weaners 1.00 down, with outs at 6.00@7.00.
Salable sheep 8,000; total 10,000, late Monday; fat lambs around 25 lower than Friday; two decks locally fed westerns 10.25@10.35; bulk to big killers 10.00@15; few under 10.00; fed range ewes 5.75@5.85; today's trade: slow, few early sales weak to 15 lower; extreme top for closely sorted fed western lambs 10.30; others 10.00; bulk supply unsold; handyweight fed western ewes 5.75.
Official estimated receipts for tomorrow: cattle 9,000; hogs 16,000; sheep 5,000.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Mar. 12 (AP)—Potatoes 13 1/2, on track 45 1/2; total U. S. shipments 887; old western stock demand moderate; western triumphs firm; Idaho russets and Colorado McClures steady, northern all varieties steady, demand light, supplies heavy; sacked per cent Idaho russet burbanks U. S. No. 1, 1-82 1/2@2.05 mostly around 1.85; U. S. No. 2, 1.42 1/2; Colorado McClures U. S. No. 1, 1.70@1.75, occasional outstanding car 1.90; Nebraska and Wyoming bliss triumphs 90 per cent U. S. No. 1, washed, few sales 2.40; 85 per cent U. S. No. 1, unwashed 1.75; Minnesota and North Dakota Red river valley section cobblers 80-85 per cent U. S. No. 1, 1.30@1.35, bliss triumphs 80-85 per cent U. S. No. 1, 1.30@1.35; car brushed 1.45; Early Ohio 80-85 per cent U. S. No. 1, 1.30@1.35; car brushed 1.45; Early Ohio 80-85 per cent U. S. No. 1, 1.30@1.35; car brushed 1.45; Early Ohio 80-85 per cent U. S. No. 1, 1.30@1.35; car brushed 1.45.
Poultry live, steady; plymouth rock broilers 17 1/2; ducks 4 1/2 lbs up colored 15 1/2; white 16 1/2; other prices unchanged.
Eggs 22.44 steady; 90 score centralized carlots 27 1/2@28; other prices unchanged. Eggs 21.68, firm; current receipts 15 1/2; other prices unchanged.
Butter futures storage stds close Mar. 27@40, Apr. 27@40.
Egg futures storage packed firsts Mar. 17@50, Apr. 17@50, refig stds Oct. 18@50.
Wall Street Close
(By The Associated Press)
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giant Treasure hunt. The most helpful suggestion these pages can present is for you to clip the handy directory of participating firms on page one, then hurry to the stores, where the necessary clues will be available until the regular closing hour tomorrow. And the important thing for everyone to remember is that every clue you obtain will add to your fun when the hunt gets under way at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening.

Sea Scout News

SHIP NO. 567
Crew members of Sea Scout Ship No. 567 will go on board at six bells tonight. Skipper John White will be piped in board for inspection of the crew, and ship drills will be rehearsed in preparation for a forthcoming Bridge of Honor, in which five crew members will receive badges of Ordinary Rank.

Terse News—

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in his possession, which he is said to have admitted taking as he pilaged through the rooms. Last month he told the officers he entered the Thomas home and secured a small amount of change. The youth has been ordered to report to State's Attorney Edward Jones Saturday morning.

LICENSED IN IOWA

A marriage license has been issued in Davenport, Iowa to George H. Walker and Gertrude Mercer, both of Dixon, Ill.

BROTHER IS DEAD

L. E. Sheller, 906 Galena avenue, has received word of the death of a brother, Roy Sheller, at Kansas City, Mo.

C. OF C. DIRECTORS

The organization meeting of the board of directors of the Dixon Chamber of Commerce will be held at an a la carte luncheon at the Hotel Nachusa at 12:15 o'clock tomorrow noon.

LUND HERE TOMORROW

Arnold L. Lund of Riveride, Republican candidate for Lieutenant Governor, is scheduled to be at the Hotel Nachusa at 7:30 tomorrow evening for a meeting and hopes to meet Republican voters there.

WANTED IN OGLE CO.

William H. McCoy was arrested here yesterday by Patrolman John Bohndel at the request of Ogle county officials. He was turned over to Sheriff Jim White who took him back to Oregon where he is charged with issuing worthless checks.

HOUSE RANSACKED

Police today are investigating a house robbery at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Watson, 213 De-ment avenue. During their absence, the house was entered and generally ransacked, and according to the police report a number of old coins and some jewelry is missing.

TO ATTEND CONGRESS

Mayor William V. Slothower left today for Chicago and will proceed to Washington, D. C., where he will attend the anniversary and harbor congress as a delegate from Illinois. Mayor Slothower was appointed a member of the congress by Governor Henry Horner.

DISCONTINUE CAMPS

Director J. J. McEntee of the Civilian Conservation Corps, announced in Washington last night that CCC soil conservation camps at Stockton and Mount Carroll are among a number of such camps in Illinois which are to be discontinued permanently March 31.

BROTHER-IN-LAW DIES

Postmaster and Mrs. George Fruin were summoned to Prophetstown yesterday by the sudden death of a brother-in-law, William Clementz, 63, who dropped dead at his farm home of a sudden heart attack. Mr. Clementz had dressed to go to the barns and do the chores when he was stricken. The funeral will be held Wednesday.

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OGLE WOMAN TO PRISON

Swagger Lines Enhance Coats Of Young Girls

The foundation of every girl's spring wardrobe is the coat or suit with which will be matched and harmonized all her dresses, blouses and accessories.

Just as her big sister's fashions make the fitted and casual silhouette rivals for favor, her miniatures of the very same clothes types follow princess or swagger lines.

Colors as delectable as those in painted Easter eggs are used in monotone woollens, gaily nubbed tweeds, kitten soft shetlands and rainbow-like plaids.

Only the dressiest coats have little fur collars, but the furless

types are far preferred, with satin and velvet best loved for collars, cuffs, covered buttons, and silhouette - emphasizing bindings. Girls of 'teen age adore hoods, and when detachable, they may be exchanged for hats for more dress-up mood.

Little girls love crisp white lingerie trimmings on their navy blue coats—eyelet or pique collars, with which are teamed little white gloves. The simple princess line is the youngest interpretation of the figure-fitting silhouette, but sometimes the waistline is defined with deep sections of tucks or rows of cording.

The girl who dotes on sports clothes may still be smart in a classic camel hair coat; or she may like the military swagger of a gray woolen, straight in front, nickel button trimmed, with a full sweep of swing skirt. Lined in red,

OHIO NEWS

Mrs. Eva Howard, assisted by Mrs. Mary Inks, very pleasantly entertained the Loyal Women's class last Monday evening. The following officers were elected: President—Mrs. Guy Eyer; vice president, Mrs. Clarence Alm; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Eva Howard; teacher, Mrs. Maude Banhard.

The Junior class of the Ohio high school will present the three-act mystery play "Who Did It?" in the school auditorium on Friday evening, March 15.

Jack Bryant and family are moving into the M. F. Dunn residence on Jackson street. Mrs.

such a coat would be the biggest fashion thrill in any young girl's wardrobe.

Bryant is employed in the Millway hatchery.

Earl Watson, Jr., is a patient in the Perry Memorial hospital in Princeton where he submitted to an operation for appendicitis last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Smith spent the week-end at the Curtis Fagan home in Naperville.

Miss Freeda A. Nelson of Princeton was an Ohio visitor Saturday in the interest of her candidacy for the office of county clerk.

Mrs. Margaret Powers and sons attended funeral services for her niece, Anna Mary Meade, at St. Patrick's cemetery in Maytown Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tucker entertained the Saturday Knights club last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Neis of Am-

boy spent Tuesday with his mother, Mrs. Harriet Neis. Mr. Neis is re-modeling and re-decorating the drug store which he recently purchased from F. J. Burke.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Albrecht, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Albrecht, Mrs. Lydia Gable and Mr. and Mrs. George Orns and daughter of Flannagan, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kohl and Mrs. S. Baumgartner and daughter of Mendota, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pike, Richard and Paul Albrecht and Omar Baumgartner of Urbana, Rev. and Mrs. M. A. Goss of Freeport and Miss Mary Albrecht of Peru were among those who attended the funeral of Benjamin F. Albrecht last Monday afternoon.

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A box of formals—just the thing for a pleasing Easter gift. B. F. SHAW PRINTING CO.

VARY YOUR NECKWEAR

Neckwear is another spring accessory, indispensable because of the spring dresses which come with neckwear—requiring one or more changes. Neckwear, too, will take the place of "jewelry collars" too heavy for warmer weather, and it resorts to many tricks to be worn with suits and tailcoats, and even coats.

Buster collars, harlequin ruffles and yokes all lend themselves well; while low and high V's and jabots, vestes and gimpes complete the neckwear picture.

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We have, however, gone far since the first importation of these coats. Almost every man now has at least one extra sport jacket and many boast three or four. They are worn not only in the country and for motoring, but in many places for office use as well, particularly during the spring and summer months.

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Last Session of Eleanor Appel's Course This Eve

The final meeting of the brief and intensive course in Merchandise Facts, which Miss Eleanor Appel has conducted at the Dixon high school during the winter, will be held there this evening, the farewell to be guest right, with all store owners and their employees welcome. Three sound films will be shown at this evening's session, as follows:

"I'll Tell The World" in which a Hollywood cast, in a full length sound film, dramatically portrays the story behind national advertising. Liberty magazine, the sponsor of this unusually interesting film, built a special theatre at the New York World's Fair where more than sixty-five thousand people learned how advertising has helped consumers broaden the horizon of better living through better, more intelligent buying.

"Frontiers of the Future," a stirring story in sound, and filmed on location, shows how laboratories, factories, stores throughout the country all contribute toward mankind's welfare.

"America Marching On" with Lowell Thomas, well known commentator and columnist. A swiftly moving true story of America's progress and contribution to industry.

LOOK AT YOUR FACE FIRST; THEN HATS

Lilly Dache, American modiste says: "The woman whose face is round and full should wear a hat with high, or least medium-high, crown.

"Berets—not too large—are perfect for the long, narrow face.

"Hats with round lines are best for long, broad faces. Turbans with fullness all around are ideal. So are pill-boxes if they are round, not oblong. Conical hats are becoming to square faces.

"The older, gray-haired woman will find a sailor hat flattering. Turbans, too, providing they dip over one eye and show the hair at the side.

"If you wear your hair straight, try a turban with height at the front.

"If you are very young, and your forehead is not low, try a chignon turban with loops at the back and a flower over one ear. Make no mistake, this type of turban was made for the young, and for the young only."

Top o' the Season



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NEWSPAPER ROBBED
East St. Louis, Ill., Mar. 11—(AP)—Using explosives, burglars opened a safe in the office of the East St. Louis Journal yesterday and obtained \$1,000.

Police said the building was entered by removing a bar and forcing a rear window.

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Association of Town Officials for Cross for Lieut. Governor

Springfield, Ill., March 12—Unanimous endorsement of Speaker Hugh W. Cross, Jerseyville, for the Republican nomination for lieutenant governor, by the Illinois Association of Township Officials, was announced today by M. C. Jones, Tuscola, president of the organization.

The endorsement of Speaker Cross by the Association of Township Officials is the second approval of Mr. Cross' candidacy by an association of local township officials. Only last week the officers and executive committee of the Illinois Association of Supervisors and County Commissioners announced unanimous endorsement of Speaker Cross' candidacy.

The latest pledge of support for Speaker Cross comes from an association that includes in its membership all the Republican supervisors, road commissioners, town clerks and town assessors from the 1580 townships and road districts of the state.

"Speaker Cross was given this support," Jones stated, "because he fought continuously for the preservation of local self-government, including the administration of relief, and as lieutenant governor he will not arrogate to himself or any single individual the duties and responsibilities now held by local officials.

"Cross was instrumental in stopping attempts of the present administration to take away from township officials the distribution of relief and place it in the hands of a group of paid social workers," Jones added. "And for this reason, together with the fact that Speaker Cross is a proven friend of township officials who favor home rule, our organization will do all in its power to nominate and elect Speaker Hugh W. Cross as lieutenant governor."

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ALL-SILK HOSIERY with reinforced toe and heel. New clocked styles and smart solid tones 50c
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Card Club Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lusz were hosts to their card club on Thursday evening and this is the last card party of the season. There were six tables of 500 at play and those most fortunate with the cards were Mrs. Albert Allen and Donald Smith, high, and Mrs. Donald Smith and Albert Allen, second high. Lunch was served by the hostess and guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stehl and Bud Dimmig.

School Notes

The following high school students' names were included on the honor roll for the second semester: Bertha Schaefer, 94; Lowell Schaefer, 94; Doris Parker, 94; James Kent, 92; Doris Thrasher, 91; Lorraine Lehman, 91; Loyola Scanlan, 91, and Jack Giblin, 90.

Basketball Team

The Harmon grade school basketball team in their gay new basketball suits entered the Lee county grade school tournament in the Mills and Petrie Memorial gym in Ashton on Wednesday and defeated their opponent, Compton, by a score of 16 to 9. Ernest Smallwood, center for the winners, scored 14 of the 16 points. Other members of the team are: Francis Schoaf, Robert Garland, Junior Lehman, Warren Smallwood, Thomas Garland and Joel Lehman. Thursday evening the Harmon boys met defeat by a score of 16 to 6.

Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock Arnold Schultz of the I. N. U. will give a talk on his recent trip to Florida with motion pictures accompanying his lecture. This is the last of the educational meetings for this year and the public is cordially invited to attend and enjoy the refreshments.

Miss Olive Stoffregen, supt.

Return Home

William McCoy of Dixon and E. T. McCormick have returned home from a two weeks stay at Hot Springs, Ark., and report a very enjoyable two weeks vacation.

Armstrong P.-T. A.

The Armstrong P.-T. A. met at the school on Wednesday evening, opening with the song "America" and the business sessions was in charge of the president, Mrs. LeRoy Norden. Members voted to buy an electric hotplate for the school's use and Marvin Ioder, Floyd Wiley and Leo Foley were appointed to make the purchase. Herman Middleton won the prize in the games played. This was followed by five tables of "fifty". Score prizes were won by Mrs. Marian Vick, Dorothy Bremer and Lawrence Foley and Floyd Wiley. Lunch was served by the committee. John A. Blackburn, teacher.

Ladies' Aid

Mrs. F. J. Whitmore was hostess to the Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church on Thursday afternoon. Devotionals were led by Lenore Kofod and Mrs. I. H. Perkins, president, presided at the business meeting and plans were made for the annual Ladies' Aid bazaar to be held on March 28. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Miss Lenore Kofod, Mrs. Ellis Kugler and Mrs. Frank Hicks attended a district conference meeting of the Women's Foreign and Home Missionary and Ladies' Aid societies at Sandwich on Friday. It was an all-day meeting with a luncheon at noon.

Birthday Surprise

Mrs. Thomas H. Long was delightfully surprised on Saturday evening when a birthday party was arranged by her family, in honor of her birthday anniversary. There were five tables of 500 in play and high prizes were won by Mrs. Charles Kent and Fred Powers and consolation favors went to Mrs. Raymond Lally and Edward Garland. Mrs. Long received many lovely gifts and delicious refreshments were served. A beautifully decorated birthday cake was given Mrs. Long by her daughter Eileen, and later in the evening was cut and enjoyed by the guests. Others present to wish Mrs. Long happy returns were: Mrs. Fred Schilp and Betty; Mrs. Frank Walters, Carl, Leo and Gertrude; Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hinkel.

Local Briefs

Harvey Hunter spent the week end in Chicago with his wife, who is a patient in the Illinois Research hospital in that city. Mrs. Hunter is gradually improving and has gained about eight pounds in weight since her stay in the hospital.

Dr. B. F. Legner of Dixon was a business caller here on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Scanlan of Dixon were Wednesday callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Scanlan.

James and Mary Sweeney of Walton were Thursday evening guests in the home of Mrs. Florence Long, where they assisted Richard Long celebrate his first birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hicks were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris in Sterling on Thursday.

Mrs. Florence Long is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Henkel and Rita were Saturday callers in

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Mendota. Mr. and Mrs. Henkel returned home and Miss Rita re-

mained over the week end with relatives.

William Grennan of Sterling was a business caller here on Friday.

Dr. H. J. McCoy of Dixon was a professional caller here on Sunday.

Emmitt Long of Des Plaines spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Long.

Gene and Joe Ostrander of Dixon spent the week-end with their grandparents, the H. M. Ostranders.

A good many from here are planning to attend the annual Home Bureau play day at the Moose hall in Dixon on Thursday, from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m.

Misses Jane O'Connell and Mary McInerney went to Peoria on Saturday to get the former's mother, Mrs. Ruth O'Connell, who spent the past week with relatives.

Organize P.-T. A.

The following officers were elected on Thursday evening when patrons of the Carbaugh school district met to organize a P.-T. A.: President, Mrs. Donald Geldean; vice president, Mrs. John Ryan; secretary, Mrs. Elaine Krano; assistant secretary, Zella Schulte; treasurer, Mrs. William Dietz; publicity and program chairman, Mrs. Lee Ackert; Mrs. Will Kranov and Mrs. Theodore Knoll; hospitality and membership chairmen—August and Fred Schulte, Donald Geldean and John Ryan; social chairmen—Mesdames

Fred Schulte and August Schulte and Theodore Knoll.

The meeting opened with the singing of "America" and Mrs. Will Dietz presided at the business meeting when plans were made to meet the second Tuesday of each month. Following the business meeting Mrs. Carol Lambert gave a most interesting lecture on P.-T. A. work. The next meeting will be held March 19.

SLAYER GETS 199 YEARS

Belleville, Ill.—(AP)— Circuit Judge M. V. Joyce sentenced Walter W. Hargreaves, Jr., 22, to 199 years in prison yesterday for the murder of Herman Kirchhoefer last November. A jury convicted him last month.

Punctuation Is Important

Punctuation will be one of the most important parts of your fashion composition this spring.

The things you do with hat, bag and gloves are going to make or break the smoothness of your style.

Fashion's dictators have tried no high jinks in design or silhouettes in a war year. (Biggest change was a lowering in waistline of some models to give a long torso).

For the most part, they have stuck to sound basic design which you already know—a slim, fitted waist above a full short skirt or

a bloused bodice above a slim straight skirt. It's the things done with accents that make the fun. Stress Color

Both American and Parisian designers put a lot of colorful punctuation marks in the first 1940 fashion chapter. Paris puts a tweed-covered, gold-headed cane, a ruffled glove or gold coin buttons with a tailored suit to give it a new look. American designers have worked out hats, bags, gloves and costume jewelry which have a common link in color.

There are sailors and bonnets of gay plaid taffeta with pouch bags to match to give an exclamation point of color to a navy blue suit. There are scoop-brimmed polka dotted sailors and gloves of crepe to wear with

black and gray suits. There are white-dotted turbans and pouch bags of red, green, or mist-blue crepe to punctuate spectator sports clothes.

To meet the American woman's demands for harmonious accessories assembled without great expenditure of time or money, five American designers of hats, bags, gloves and costume jewelry are making all these accessories in new spring colors. Thus, exactly the same shade can be obtained in any one of them without frenzied running around.

"Yippee Yellow" Is New

Colors are blue mist (a grayed blue), bright scandal red, royal blue, dusty rose and something

pretty violent called "yippee yellow."

A lot of effective punctuation is going to be done with pockets this spring. Some appear in leather envelope bags equipped with four little leather envelope pockets to hold keys, cosmetics, and coins.

TO ASSIST SURVEY

Washington.—(AP)—Miss Margaret C. Norton, chairman of the Illinois State Library, Springfield, Ill., was named as a member of a national advisory committee to assist the WPA's historical record survey in finding material.

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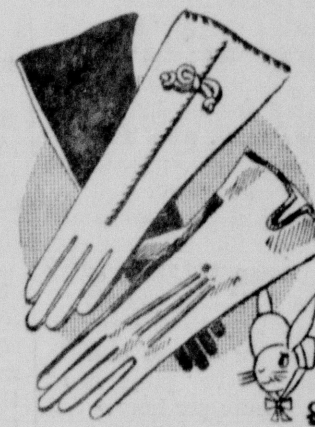
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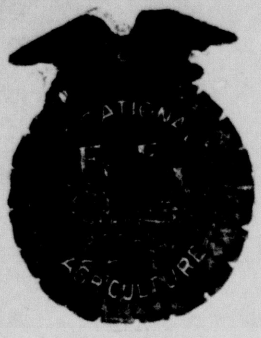
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Robert Hill, reporter

ANNUAL PARTY

On Friday evening, March 8 the home economics girls and the F. F. A. boys had their annual party. There were approximately 75 present from the two clubs.

Since this is leap year, the girls furnished the refreshments. The refreshments committee consisted of Shirley McCabe, Donald Gleim and Robert Hill.

The program for the evening consisted of an accordion solo by Dorothy Fruin. Ruth Brown gave a reading, and last, but not least, Jean and Jane Phalen sang. They were accompanied by Jeanne Quilhot, the president of the Home Economics club.

Trees and squirrels, king and queen, streets and alleys and many other games were played. The members of the committee in charge of the program and games were Jean Phalen, Marie Potts, Clell Weidman, Elmer Ringler and Kenneth Hecker.

With the serving of refreshments at 10:30, a most enjoyable evening came to an end.

Miss White and Miss Cotta, who are in charge of the home economics department, should receive much praise for their help in making the party a success.

On Friday evening, March 1 Gail Harms and Robert Hill attended the Lee County 4-H club meeting which was held in Amboy. The farm advisor discussed the plans of the year.

Forreston Youths Net \$1,519.80 On Their Farm Work

(Telegraph Special Service)
Forreston, March 12 — Keith McGuire, teacher of vocational agriculture in Forreston high school, reports that 27 boys of this department made a net profit of \$1,519.80 on their projects the last year in connection with agriculture.

The state requires that each project must be under supervision of the vocational teacher. The project may be either livestock or grain, must belong to the boy and must be cared for by him. The young farmer must also keep an accurate feed record, expense account and income sheet.

Corn projects made a net profit of \$608.19; hogs \$567.86; beef cattle \$112.28; sheep \$47.18; poultry and potatoes \$141.21; and dairy, \$9.05. In addition to the profit, the boys paid themselves \$348.27 for self labor on the projects at the rate of 15 cents per hour.

WELL ACQUAINTED

East St. Louis, Ill., March 12.—(AP)—No introductions are necessary when Mrs. Anna C. Erhardt runs next door to borrow a cup of sugar.

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Myers Herd Is Leader in Ogle County Report

The Ogle County Dairy Herd Improvement association average for the month of February was 885 pounds of milk, 39.8 pounds of fat with 409 cows on test from 26 herds. Forty-one of the 409 cows on test were dry. During the month three unprofitable cows were sold to the butcher and four were sold for dairy purposes. One hundred and five cows each produced over 40 pounds of fat.

The five high herds were as follows: J. Gordon Myers, owners, 12 G. & R. H., 1264 average pounds of milk; 46.9 average pounds of fat, milked twice daily. None of the cows was dry.

Richard Magee, owner, 20 R.H., 1313 average pounds of milk; 44.9 average pounds of fat, milked twice daily. One of the cows was dry.

J. W. Hemingway, owner, 13 R. H., 1102 average pounds of milk; 41.2 average pounds of fat, milked twice daily. None of the cows was dry.

Harry Baker, owner, 12 G. & R. H., 1172 average pounds of milk; 39.1 average pounds of fat; milked twice daily. One of the cows was dry.

Forrest Gillespie, owner, 19 R. H., 955 average pounds of milk; 37.2 average pounds of fat, milked twice daily. Two of the cows were dry.

The five high cows, all milked twice daily and of the R. H. breed, belonged to the following: Richard Magee, 1897 pounds of milk and 74 pounds of fat; J. W. Hemingway, 1537 pounds of milk and 67.6 pounds of fat; Lewis DeGraff, 1453 pounds of milk and 66.8 pounds of fat; Getzendaner Farm, 1821 pounds of milk and 65.6 pounds of fat; and Percy Fruin, 1480 pounds of milk and 65.1 pounds of fat.

More of the members are putting in drinking cups in the barns. They have made a great deal of difference in production this winter.

The high producing herds are receiving silage and hay as roughage and a grain ration of corn and cob meal and oats balance with soybean oil meal, cottonseed meal or linseed meal. It is very important that the ration be balanced to the required percentage of protein to go with the roughage being fed.

Persons wishing information on dairy herd testing and feeding may secure appointments for consultation at the Farm Bureau office.—Willis H. Turner, tester.

Ogle County Farmers Attend Chicago Meeting

Ogle county was represented at the annual meeting of the Chicago Producers Commission Association in Chicago on March 5, by about 20 livestock producers, to hear reports of the business done during the past year, and take part in the business session.

According to J. F. Dummer, chairman of the livestock marketing committee of the Farm Bureau, the Chicago Producers Commission Association is a cooperative marketing agency set up by Farm Bureau members to handle the marketing of livestock in such a way as to promote the best price level and to gain bargaining power through organization of the producers of the livestock.

H. P. Rusk, dean of the College of Agriculture of the University of Illinois was the principal speaker on the subject, "The livestock industry and research." H. M. Conway, writer of Livestock Market Forecasts spoke on "What's Ahead."

A meat cutting demonstration was given by a representative of the National Livestock and Meat board.

FRANK PRIEBE'S WEEKLY LETTER to POULTRY RAISERS

You may have to haul livestock a hundred miles or more to get to a market.

But I doubt if anyone in the Middle West has to drive over twenty miles to find a market for his produce. There must be three hundred poultry and egg packing plants in the Middle West—every one of them a market.

In the old days when a person drove a team to town, there was nothing else to do but take eggs to the nearest crossroads store and trade them for whatever he needed from calico to coffee.

Today we have farm-to-market roads. We can drive fifteen or twenty miles in less time than it used to take to go five. Today anyone can go directly to a market with his poultry and eggs.

How Prices Are Established

The business of those who operate produce plants is to provide a market for you—not to set prices. They have no more control over prices than grain buyers or livestock buyers.

The value of poultry and eggs, like the value of anything you sell or buy, is determined by the relation of the supply to the demand. Prices are affected by daily receipts, by daily purchases, by the supply on hand, and by estimates of future production.

Those things are beyond the control of any one person or group of persons.

Consumer Has the Final Word

All this adds up to the fact that the value of any food is what the people who eat it are willing to pay for it. If anyone can be said to set the price, it's the consumers.

Except within the limits of a small community it is impossible for consumers to buy directly from producers. Food and other goods must be sold and purchased through markets. And the value of poultry and eggs at your market place, wherever it is, is the value set on them by the consumers, minus the cost of transporting and handling.

These costs are kept as low as possible when the poultry and eggs produced in a community are handled through the market afforded by a produce packing plant.

It is their business to provide you with this necessary service. Sincerely yours,

Frank Priebe
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Horticultural Meeting At Mt. Morris Wednesday

The Farm Bureau annual demonstration will be held at Mt. Morris Wednesday, March 13, beginning with an indoor discussion meeting in the basement of the Christian church at 1:30 p. m.

Following this discussion of the fundamentals of horticulture the group will go to the Lanning Fruit farm on the Mud creek road where Dr. Kelly will give a practical demonstration of the pruning of currants, raspberries, grapes and apples. L. B. Shropshire, Extension Specialist in Entomology will report on the insect threat for 1940 and point out control measures.

This annual horticultural demonstration has become one of the important services the Farm Bureau is rendering fruit growers in Ogle county and is usually very well attended.

Last year a number of students from near-by agricultural classes attended in a body with their instructors and it is expected more

ROBBINS HERD LEADS COUNTY DAIRY GROUP

A herd of eight grade Holstein cows owned by C. W. Robbins led the Lee County Dairy Herd Improvement association for February with an average production of 1219 pounds of milk and 46.1 pounds of fat on two times-a-day milking. None of the eight cows was dry.

A herd of 13 mixed cows owned by Edgar Truckenbrod was second with an average production of 1046 pounds of milk and 44.2 pounds of fat on 2 times-a-day milking. One of the 13 cows was dry.

A herd of 28 mixed cows owned by Pitzer and Kerr was third with an average production of 1074 pounds of milk and 40.3 pounds of fat on 2 times-a-day milking. None of the 28 cows was dry.

A herd of 10 grade and purebred Holstein cows owned by Otto Boehle was fourth with an average production of 1139 pounds of milk and 39.8 pounds of fat on 2 times-a-day milking. None of the 10 cows was dry.

A herd of 10 purebred Holstein cows owned by Cole & Donnelly was fifth with an average production of 1056 pounds of milk and 38.8 pounds of fat on 2 times-a-day milking. Two of the 10 cows were dry.

The association average for the month was 820 pounds of milk, 31.3 pounds of fat with 454 cows on test from 23 herds. 46 of the 454 cows on test were dry. 126 cows each produced over 40 pounds of fat.

The ten high cows were as follows:

Roi Degner & Son, owners, purebred Holstein breed, 1746 pounds milk, 78.6 pounds fat.

Pitzer & Kerr, owners, grade Holstein breed, 1496 pounds milk, 76.3 pounds fat.

Edgar Truckenbrod, owner, grade Holstein breed, 1743 pounds milk, 73.2 pounds fat.

Henry Hey, owner, grade Holstein breed, 1821 pounds milk, 71.0 pounds fat.

Edgar Truckenbrod, owner, grade Jersey breed, 1311 pounds milk, 66.9 pounds fat.

Galt & Witmer, owners, grade Holstein breed, 1549 pounds milk, 63.5 pounds fat.

Prairie Trail Farm, owner, grade Holstein breed, 1697 pounds milk, 62.8 pounds fat.

Edgar Truckenbrod, owner, grade Holstein breed, 1688 pounds milk, 62.5 pounds fat.

Pitzer & Kerr, owners, grade Holstein breed, 1720 pounds milk, 61.9 pounds fat.

C. W. Robbins, owner, Holstein breed, 1438 pounds milk, 61.8 pounds fat.

—James Colgan, Tester.

Governor's Island in New York harbor was purchased from the Indians in 1637 for \$1.65.

The island of Newfoundland is about the size of the state of Virginia.

will attend the 1940 demonstration. The demonstration is open to the public.

Conducts Demonstration



Two pruning demonstrations were planned today in Lee county with the morning session at the Anna Bothe farm on U. S. route 30 six miles northwest of Amboy and about six miles southeast of Dixon. Farmers who attended the demonstration were given instructions by Victory Kelley (above), extension specialist of the University of Illinois. Mr. Kelley did some actual pruning work and discussed the planting of a new young orchard, the best way of procedure, the pruning of grapes and brambles of various kinds.

The afternoon meeting was scheduled for the Fred Durin farm at the north end of Scarboro. Mr. Shropshire of the state entomology department was also expected to participate at the demonstration.

Application for Sealing Corn Must Be Made Not Later Than This Friday

Applications for sealing corn under the Agricultural Conservation program must be made at the association office at Oregon or to one of the county sealers not later than the 15th of March, according to information from Robert Karstedt, chairman of the county committee.

Sealers have been quite busy taking care of applications and now have about 600,000 bushels of the 1939 corn crop in Ogle county under seal making a total, with the 1938 and 1937 corn that was resealed, of more than one and one-quarter million bushels.

The sealers who may be contacted directly by those wishing to make application are: M. L. Croft, Leaf River; H. C. Shrader, Polo; Clifford Stiff, Polo; Ernest Fair, Franklin Grove; and Carl Scheible, Stillman Valley.

In reporting on the recent meetings here for signing farm planning sheets Mr. Karstedt reports that 60% of the farmers attending

WHAT TO TELL YOUR DAUGHTER

If your daughter is entering womanhood and you notice she's getting restless, nervous and moody—if she's bothered by cramps, headache, embarrassing fainting spells due to female functional "irregularities"—by all means have her try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Pinkham's Compound is one of the MOST EFFECTIVE tonics made to help women who are weak, rundown or nervous from functional cause. Give this medicine—time-proven for over 60 years by thousands of grateful women—a chance to help YOUR daughter go smiling thru "difficult days." Beneficial for you, too, mother. Try it!

NEW METHODS OF FARMING CONTROL EROSION OF LAND

Farming straight with the fences with rows running up and down the slope, the way our fathers did, has caused Ogle county soils to wash away. Thousands of tons of top soil, the richest and most productive part of the soil has gone. The University of Illinois estimates that from 1/4 to 3/4 of the original surface soil, subject to erosion, has been removed. Ogle county has a total of 301,440 acres which is 62.4% of the land area subject to harmful erosion.

To stop this irreparable loss farmers are greatly concerned and have asked the Soil Conservation Service and CCC camp to lend assistance. Erosion can be controlled by changing farming methods. These new methods do not necessarily mean more expense. Farming on the contour, across the slope, is no more difficult than going up and down the slope. Long slopes should probably not only be contoured but strip cropped or terraced. Strip cropping consists in alternating cultivated crops with hay strips. Water from the rains will be caught and held by the contoured rows. This prevents it from running off the land and more will be absorbed by the soil. If during a heavy rain some water should start to run off the hay strip just below the cultivated strip will slow the water down and spread

the meetings have signed the agreements. This figure, he estimates, is about 20% greater than at the same stage of the program last year.

it out sufficiently to cause all the silt to be deposited.

When an entire slope is to be put to a cultivated crop terraces will break up the slope and conduct the water off slow enough to prevent erosion. A terrace is a low flat ridge constructed across the slope, approximately on the level, so that water starting to run down the slope will be stopped. These terraces may be from 60 to 100 feet apart depending on the slope and carry off the water slowly enough to prevent damage.

Farmers may be able to prevent erosion by using more legume and grasses in their rotation for hay and pasture. This will make a longer rotation with less cultivated crops. Letting a good sod form before plowing the ground and turning under large

quantities of vegetable growth increases the organic matter in the soil. This organic matter acts as a sponge to absorb the water and lets it penetrate into the soil. It also has a tendency to hold the soil from washing away.

These practices and others will be demonstrated this year on farms in Ogle county, by farmers who are cooperating with the Soil Conservation Service.

TRAFFIC FATALITY

Marshall, Ill.—Chester Elledge of Oliver, Ill., was killed yesterday when his truck rammed a concrete abutment on route one 14 miles south of here.

Poultry raising in Texas is a \$45,000,000-a-year business and the state ranks first in the nation in the production of turkeys.

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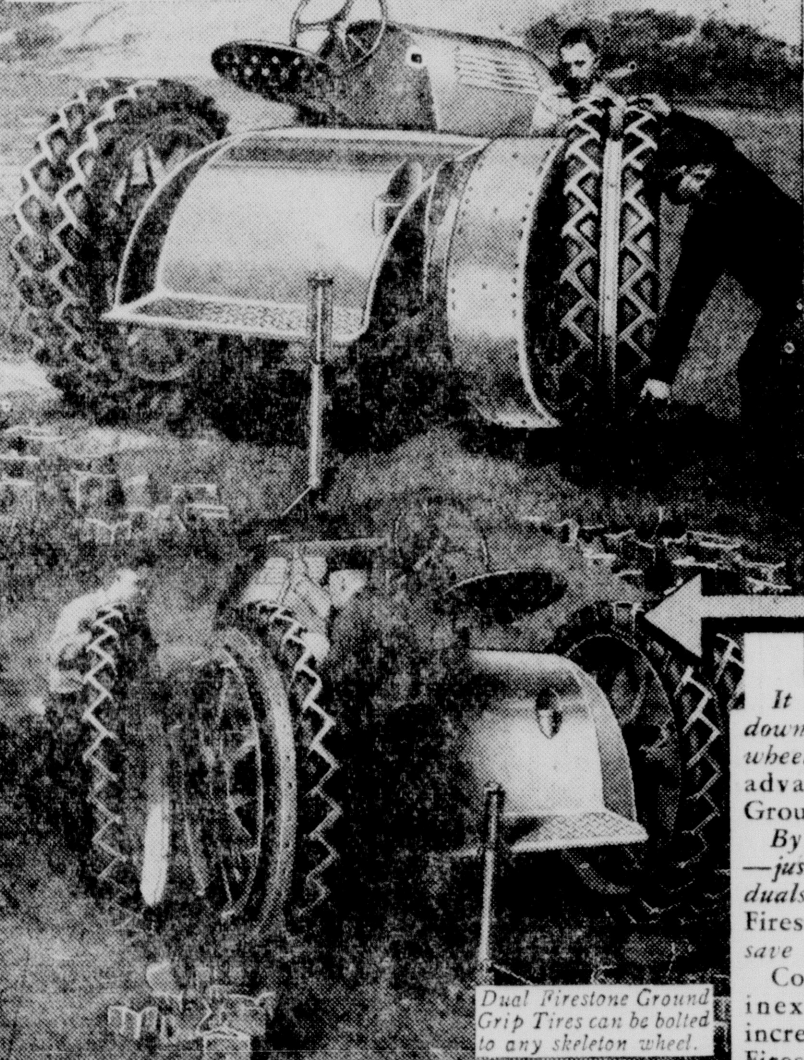
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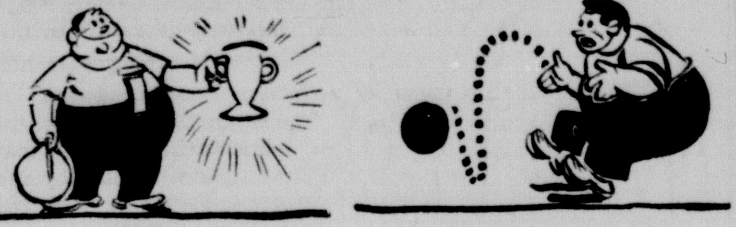
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By DON DANIELSON.

HEBRON GETS FACTS

Hebron's coach, who will lead his team against Lewiston Thursday night at Champaign, visited Sterling the other day to get the low-down on the opponents. Sterling participated in the Kewanee sectional of which the Lewiston club was the winner. Hebron backers are forced to admit that the team from the little village depends almost entirely on its first five players—and if anyone of them should be lost, the situation would be very grave.

OFFICIALS' STAG MEETING

The basketball and football officials of northern Illinois will hold a stag party at the Baltic lodge in Rockford on the evening of April 12. Coaches and sports scribes from this area have also been invited to attend.

VOLLEY BALL

About 15 members of the Dixon business and professional men's volley ball league held another session of games at the high school gym last night and among those who played were: Moore, Schildberg, Finley, Snively, Nilsson, Weaver, Crom, Platt, Lyons, Hew, Dr. Blewfield, Rev. Walter and Anderson. The league will continue to hold games each Monday and Thursday night until the end of the month. Following the regular games last night Hey defeated Schildberg in a singles match to decide a private feud.

GAME IS POSTPONED

The Dixon Knucks who were to play at Oregon Thursday night against the Independents of that city have had to cancel their engagement due to participation in the Central States tournament at Hillsdale where they will meet the Lyndon team.

NEW CLUB OFFICERS

Leland S. Argo was elected president of the Rochelle Country club at a recent meeting and election of officers. Dr. C. H. Schaller was chosen vice-president; Francis J. Connolly, secretary; Elmer G. Boltz, treasurer; and Joseph S. Askvig, F. J. Biefang and D. W. Taylor, board members. The retiring board members are E. W. Morgan and Emmett Hayes.

HOW WE FEEL !!

Now that basketball is over
And spring's just around the bend
We confess that we're not sorry
That cold weather's at an end
For there's days like this so often
With no sporting news at all
That we long for days of tennis,
Swimming, golfing and BASEBALL!

Slip Madigan, Who Put St. Mary's Team in Limelight, Ousted Today

San Francisco, March 12—(AP)—Edward P. (Slip) Madigan, who raised St. Mary's college from obscurity to national prominence on football gridirons, was out of his 18-year coaching job today by order of the college athletic board, but their reason for the sudden action was undisclosed.

The board decided yesterday not to renew Madigan's contract when it expires March 31, 1941, and announced the decision in telegrams dispatched to newspapers.

Madigan, who came to St. Mary's in 1921 when the college had 71 students, could not be reached.

J. Philip Murphy, chairman of the St. Mary's board of Athletic control, announced the body not only voted to end Madigan's services, but that he would not coach the 1940 team, either in spring practice or during the fall season.

The spring practice will be handled by Norman P. "Red" Strader, assistant mentor, mentioned in some quarters as a possible successor to the retiring coach.

Speculation On Action
Speculation surrounding the

board's action centered on the health of Madigan, who has been ill several months with a stomach ailment, and the fact St. Mary's 1939 season was somewhat dismal. The Gaels won three games, lost four and tied one.

Reports that Madigan might withdraw from the coaching picture and submit to an operation have been current for some time, and last week there were rumors he would be ousted.

There also were reports that Madigan would sign with Loyola college in Los Angeles, but officials there said last night he was not under consideration for the coaching position.

Murphy stated that the college would respect Madigan's salary rights under the contract until it expired, despite the fact his jurisdiction over the institution's grid destinies was ended.

The colorful Madigan, who jumped up and down on the sidelines and drank water by the bucketful during tense moments, was reputed to draw a \$7,000 annual salary plus 10 per cent of St. Mary's football receipts.

Harry Craft still is in a painful batting slump.

Manager Bill McKechnie is working hard with Mike McCormick, who hit .318 with Indianapolis, and with Arthur Luce, who hit .294 for Birmingham, but the prospects are not inspiring.

Vince DiMaggio and Wally Berger are the other two possibilities—one the champion striker-out of all baseball and the other about through except as a pinch-hitter.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

Chicago—Kid McCoy 141, Detroit, outpointed Gene Spencer, 132, Chicago, (8).

Orlando, Fla.—Frankie Hughes, Terre Haute, Ind., welterweight, outpointed Bobby Wilson, Orlando, (10).

Baltimore—Chalky Wright, 135½, Los Angeles, knocked out Charlie Gomer, 130½, Baltimore, (4).

New Orleans—Leo Rodak, 135½, Chicago, outpointed the Yucatan Kid, 137, Mexico, (10).

Miami Beach, Fla.—Tony Musto, 198, Chicago, outpointed Hard Rock Harden, 197½, Burlington, N. C., (10).

Portland, Me.—Coley Welch, 162, Portland, outpointed Kenny Nelson, 157, Davenport, Ia., (10).

San Antonio, Tex.—Kid Azteca, 137, Welterweight champion of Mexico, knocked out Jack Taylor, 135, Portland, Ore., (3).

Philadelphia—Bob Montgomery, 136, Philadelphia, outpointed Al Nettlow, 140, Detroit, (10).

Washington—Phil Furr, 147½, Washington, outpointed Kenny La Salle, 155½, Houston, (10).

Houston, Tex.—Manuelli Villa II, 141, Mexico City, outpointed Lew Feldman, 136, Brooklyn, (10).

Scranton, Pa.—Marty Simmons, 169, Saginaw, Mich., outpointed Jimmy "Gunboat" Davis, 168, Scranton, (10).

AGED PEDESTRIAN KILLED
Kewanee, Ill., Mar. 11—(AP)—Albert Osborn, 70, of Bishop, Ill., was killed last night when he was struck by an automobile as he walked on route 34. Authorities said the car was driven by John Cromien of Galva.

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State Tourney Opens Thursday
Hebron's Team is Sentimental FavoriteSEVEN OF SWEET
SIXTEEN REACHED
FAME AFTER LOSSRegional Runner - Ups
Have Chance to win
in Tournament

By PAT HARMON

Written for The Associated Press

Champaign, Ill., March 12—A regional runner-up never has won the state high school basketball championship—but the fortunes of basketball never were more favorable for such an eventuality than they are today.

Seven of the 16 finalists in the 33rd annual tournament which will open here Thursday have been defeated in tournament play. They survived because the state high school athletic association permits runners-up in regional meets to advance to the sectionals in which a straight elimination system is enforced.

The beaten seven are Champaign, Beardstown, Salem, Herrin, Taylorville, Dundee and Granite City.

Dundee and Granite City, particularly potent this season, are in the lower bracket with powerful little Hebron, which knocked off the defending champion, Rockford, Saturday night. The upper bracket cannot match such a strong triumvirate, but has a genuine standout in Salem, which lost only five of 33 games.

Three of Salem's defeats were at the hands of Centralia, whom Salem upset in the sectional final. The other Salem defeats were by Olney and Granite City.

First Feature Game

The feature game of the first round appears to be the Taylorville-Paris clash. The Tigers defeated Taylorville by 10 points in January, but Taylorville has improved so much since then that it is hardly recognizable as the same club. Paris is expected to match its speed against Taylorville's height and should Paris win it likely will be through aggressive play.

Hebron, as representative of a village of 608 population, is certain to be a sentimental favorite among many fans—and these "Davids" of the field likely will give their supporters a run for their enthusiasm.

Champaign will open the tournament Thursday morning against the Chicago public school champion, Crane Tech. Then in order will come these other first-round tilts:

Beardstown vs. Salem; Herrin vs. Bloom (Chicago Heights); Paris vs. Taylorville; Casey vs. Moline; Lewistown vs. Hebron; Dundee vs. Rushville, and Streat-or vs. Granite City.

Thursday's play cuts the field to eight teams, with Friday's battling sending four more clubs to the sidelines. Semi-finals are scheduled Saturday afternoon, with the third place and championship skirmishes.

GOLF'S MONEY PLAYERS HEAD
FOR ST. AUGUSTINE TODAY

Thomasville, Ga., March 12—(AP)—Golf's money players headed for St. Augustine, Fla., today with a new hero in their midst—dapper, mustached Lloyd Mangrum, a 145-pounder who rapped out an eagle three on the last hole to win the Thomasville \$3,000 open.

The slender young assistant from Oak Park, Ill., didn't exactly have to have the eagle to win. A birdie would have done, although a par would have left him in a snarl with open champion Byron Nelson of Toledo, Ohio, the runner-up.

Mangrum pocketed the \$700 top money of his first major championship by joining up rounds of 68, 68 and 67 for a 54-hole 203, 13 under the Glen Avon par and eight better than Henry Picard's 1939 winning score. He got the victory-clinching 18th hole eagle by cutting across the long dog-leg, laying to the green with a No. 2 iron second shot and holding a 20-foot putt.

WRESTLER'S UNION GOES ON
STRIKE AT MEXICO ARENA

Mexico City, March 12—(AP)—The Wrestlers' Union—almost everybody is organized in Mexico—has threatened a strike at the Arena Mexico, the republic's sports center.

Unless the Arena's management signs a collective labor contract, the union informed the federal conciliation board, a strike will "burst out" next Saturday at 2 P. M. sharp.

LITCHFIELD BANKER DIES
Litchfield, Ill., Mar. 11—(AP)—George Luther Settlement, 88, president of the Litchfield Bank & Trust Co., died here Sunday. A member of the board of the Mount Vernon Car & Foundry Co., he had been a resident of Litchfield 73 years.

Grog, sailor's term for rum and water, was so called from the grogram breeches worn by Edward Vernon, an English admiral.

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SEABISCUIT'S
RACING DAYS
ARE FINISHED

Los Angeles, March 12—(AP)—The racing days of the gallant Seabiscuit are ended.

He ran his last, and greatest, race when he captured the \$100,000 Santa Anita handicap March 2. The king is now retired.

A brief, but formal, announcement yesterday by wealthy Charles S. Howard, the owner, wrote final to the career of this turf idol. Seabiscuit, he said, will race no more.

Seven years old, courageous contender in more than 80 races; once an ignored workhorse claimed for a mere \$7,500, now the greatest all-time money winner in the history of the sport; once thought through, then victor in a dramatic comeback that thrilled the nation; once a plater, now a king—that is the story of Seabiscuit. Now he'll graze on his master's California ranch, far from the turf wars.

Seabiscuit, said Mr. Howard, simply, has earned retirement. His purse winning record of \$437,730, set in the triumph of the \$100,000 Santa Anita handicap, will stand until another, but never a more gallant, champion comes along.

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BOWLING

It was a unanimous evening for three teams of women bowlers at the Dixon Recreation last night in making clean sweeps of the series. The league-leading Hi-Way Grill club won three games from Ray Carson's quintet with Poole leading the winners with a 506 series. Carson scored 471 to lead the losers.

Amboy Royal Blue won three games from Dr. Bends. Spangler rolled 416 to lead the winners and Slaats scored 459 for the losers.

The Soda Grill team won three games from the Ideal Cafe. S. Carson's 142 paced the winners and Legore rolled 412 for the Ideal.

Dixon Recreation won two games from Bon Ton with Daschbach scoring 449 for the winners and Detweiler rolling 458 for the Bon Ton.

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TRAINING CAMP BRIEFS

By The Associated Press

"INJURY JINX"

Anaheim, Calif.—The Athletics "injury jinx" has connected with Benny McCoy, the \$45,000 beauty, but not too seriously. The rookie second sacker was struck on the adam's apple by a batted ball in pre-game practice yesterday but wasn't badly hurt.

A GOOD BEGINNING

Winter Haven, Fla.—If the start is any indication, the New York Giants are due to get some real flinging this season from their top-flight pitchers. Carl Hubbell, Hal Schumacher and Bill Lohman set the St. Louis Cardinals down with three hits and three unearned runs yesterday.

MAKES HIS DEBUT

Clearwater, Fla.—Louis (Buck) Newson, the talkative Detroit pitcher, makes his Grapefruit League debut today against the Dodgers. Manager Del Baker nominated him to work three innings, with Sothpaws Archie McKain and Tom Seals doing the rest of the mound chores.

HARTNETT IS PLEASED

Aviation, Calif.—Pleased over the excellent condition of his squad, Manager Gabby Hartnett of the Chicago Cubs called off today's intra-club game in favor of a routine workout. The Cubs get tomorrow off to pack their bags and start for the mainland and their first exhibition.

GETTING IN STRIDE

St. Petersburg, Fla.—Although their record of 24 strikeouts in three exhibitions hardly looks like the usual Yankee performance, New York's world champions are beginning to take on the appearance of the 1939 club. Babe Dahlgren made his first appearance against the Reds yesterday and Joe DiMaggio reached camp in time for a workout.

ROOKIES TO PLAY

Miami Beach, Fla.—There'll be a strong rookie representation when the Phillies open their Grapefruit League season tomorrow although Kirby Higbe, youthful regular, has been named as starting pitcher. Newcomers include Jim Levy, at first, Dan Littwhiler in center field, Bob Bragan at short and Denny Warren Catching.

ANNIOUS TO START

Orlando, Fla.—Outfielder George Case is looking forward to the start of Washington's exhibition program to test his throwing arm which was injured last season. He is slated to play center field regularly if the mysterious injury to his arm heals.

HOLDOUT TROUBLE

Clearwater, Fla.—Maybe President Larry MacPhail figures he can be firm with Dolph Camilli, the Brooklyn Dodgers' holdout first baseman, but Manager Leo Durocher apparently wants to get him in uniform. After an hour-long discussion failed to bring MacPhail over to his side, Dolph talked to Durocher a while and the manager remarked, "I'm going to bat for Dolph soon as I get back to the hotel."

REGULARS TO START

Pasadena, Calif.—Jimmy Dykes has decided to give the Chicago White Sox regulars the honor of starting the first game against the Cubs Thursday but after a few innings he'll start testing his rookies. The only newcomer listed

Schultz.
Myers Royal Blue vs. K. of C.
Three Deuces v. Fallstrom.

to start is Bob Kennedy, who will play third so Eric McNair can rest his sore arm.

NOMINEES FOR MOUND DUTY

St. Petersburg, Fla.—Having tried unsuccessfully using rookie pitchers one day and veterans the next, the St. Louis Cardinals planned to try both against Cincinnati today. Nominees for mound duty were Lon Warneke, Tom Sunkel, Elwin Roe and Harry Breechen.

WORK AS A UNIT

Sarasota, Fla.—Before taking his heavy cold to bed, Manager Joe Cronin of the Boston Red Sox ordered his aides to work the regulars as a unit in today's sessions. As a result Doc Cramer will take over his center field berth and Jim Tabor will return to third base.

WATCHES HURLERS MORE

San Bernardino, Calif.—Manager Frankie Frisch of Pittsburgh's Pirates has begun to pay more attention to his pitchers, whose training so far has been designed to get them into condition and who haven't been bearing down.

WEAK ON CATCHING

San Antonio, Tex.—Catching already appears to be one of the St. Louis Browns' major weaknesses this season. President Donald Barnes wants to trade hold-out Joe Glenn, whose offered stipend is going down instead of up, for Frank Pytlak of Cleveland or Frank Hayes of Philadelphia, but apparently it's no deal.

"MUST STUDY THE KIDS"

Bradenton, Fla.—Although most of the Boston Bees' veteran pitchers have requested a turn against Detroit tomorrow, Manager Casey Stengel insists on giving his rookies a chance to perform under fire. "If you want action," Stengel told Bill Posedel, Jim Tobin and Bill Swift, "get it in batting practice. I know what to expect from you but I must study the kids."

FELLER'S FIRST FLING

Fort Myers, Fla.—Bob Feller will spring his first pitching of the spring training season tomorrow in the Cleveland Indians' fourth intra-squad game. He is scheduled to work three innings, which counts him out for Thursday when the tribe opens its exhibition program against Syracuse.

MAY HAVE BIG YEAR

St. Petersburg, Fla.—It's beginning to look as if Gene Thompson may be in for a big year. Bill McKechnie, Willy Manager of the Cincinnati Reds, is teaching the lad a change of pace which may make him a mainstay of the mound staff along with Paul Derringer and Bucky Harris. He set the Yankees down in order in his one inning yesterday.

MEDALIST MARION MILEY TO
FACE NAOMI COPIC IN GOLF

Belleair, Fla., March 12—(AP)—Medalist Marion Miley faced Naomi Copic of Toledo, Ohio, today in the first round of the annual Belleair Women's Golf tournament.

The Lexington, Ky., linkswoman, whose qualifying 77 led the field yesterday by a two-stroke margin, was not expected to have serious difficulty.

MAGNIFICENT FORTRESS

HORIZONTAL

1 Beautiful fortress building in Spain.

8 It was used as an alcazar or —

13 King of beasts

14 Caverns.

16 Wild ox.

17 Plexus.

19 Brooch.

20 Chamber of justice.

21 Sandpipers.

23 Sun deity.

24 Babbled.

27 Palm thatch.

30 Aggregation.

31 Dregs.

33 Sea eagle.

35 Each.

36 Clump.

38 Self.

40 Enjoyment of property.

42 Weapons.

45 Courtesy title.

47 Winged shoes.

50 Bugle plant.

52 Born.

54 Gem weight.

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

HANS ANDERSEN
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LA GRIME
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DANISH NOVELIST

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22 To sink.

23 Corded fabric

25 Weight allowance.

26 Crescent-shaped figure.

28 War god.

29 Italian river.

32 Mutton fat.

34 Northeast wind.

37 Brawl.

39 Spat.

40 Nettle rash.

41 Rootstock.

43 Genus of chimpanzees.

44 Carnivorous animal.

46 Indian.

48 Slat.

49 Pealed.

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53 Organ of hearing.

55 To acknowledge.

56 Type standard.

VERTICAL

55 Prognostic.

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57 To make amends.

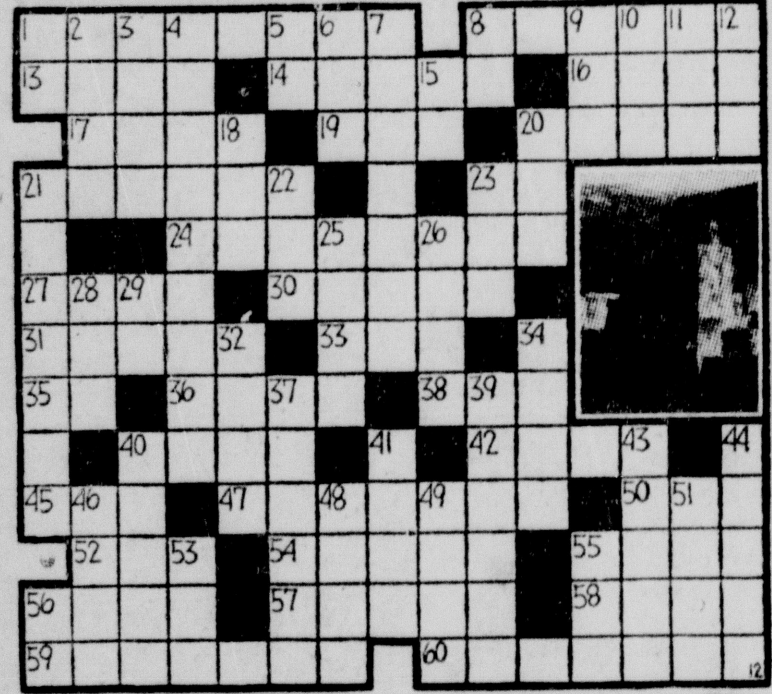
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SIDE GLANCES

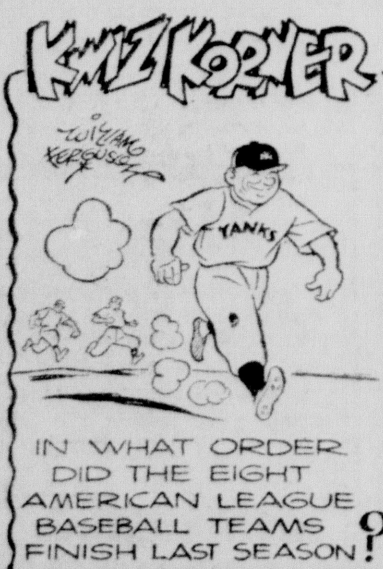
By Galbraith



"This is their annual trip to town, but they didn't ask me to lunch this year."

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: New York, Boston, Cleveland, Chicago, Detroit, Washington, Philadelphia, St. Louis.

NEXT: Does the sun ever set on American soil?

Thimble Theater. Starring POPEYE



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



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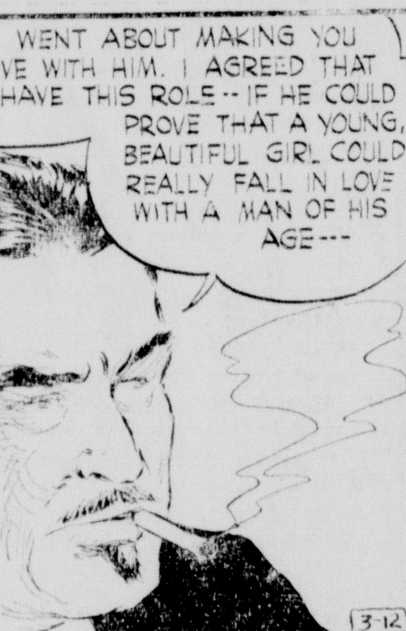
The Road Back—



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—With Feet of Clay

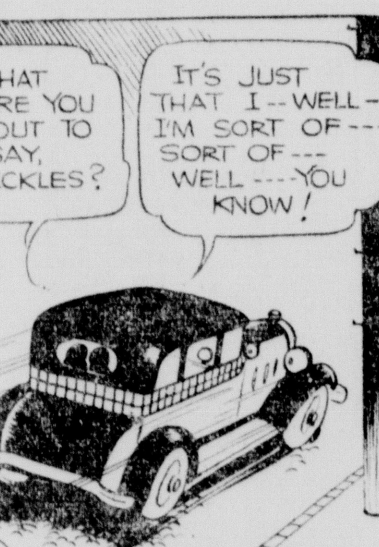
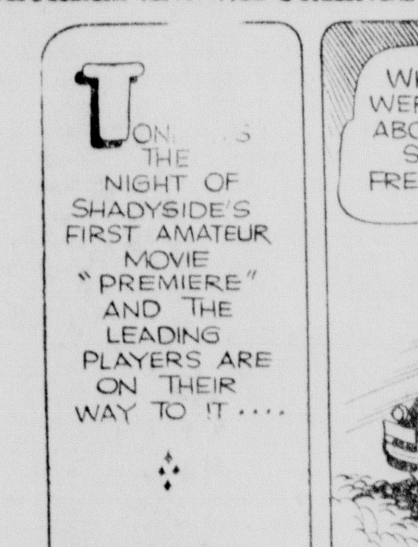
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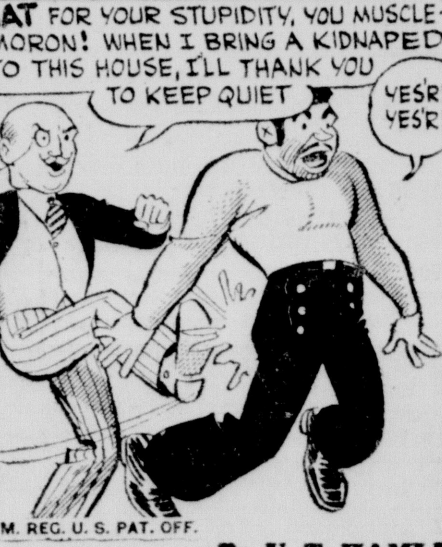
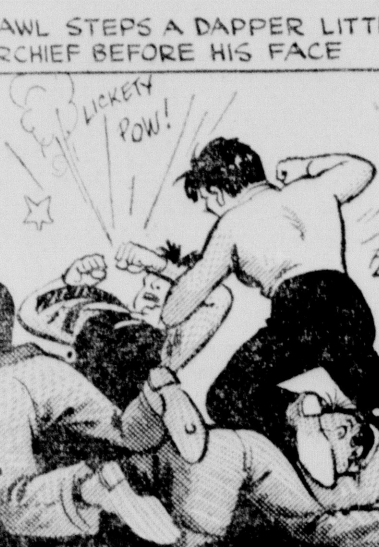
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RECENT ROOF FIRES
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6:15 Mr. Keen, Tracer of Lost Persons—WENR
Heart of Julia Blake — WBEM
Dad's Family—WCFL
I Love a Mystery—WMAQ

6:30 Helen Menken—WBEM
Dinner Concert—WCFL
7:00 Big Town—WBEM
Secret Agent—WGN
Aldrich Family—WLS
Johnny Presents—WMAQ

7:30 Court of Missing Heirs — WBEM
Horace Heidt's Orch. — WMAQ
Orrin Tucker's Orch.—WGN
Information Please—WLS

8:00 Concert Orch.—WGN
Battle of the Sexes—WMAQ
We the People—WBEM
Cavalade of America — WENR

8:30 Concert Orchestra—WENR
Concert in Rhythm — WBEM
Fibber McGee and Molly — WMAQ

9:00 Bob Hope—WMAQ
Roy Shields' Orch.—WENR
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9:30 Concert Miniature—WENR
Uncle Walter's Doghouse — WMAQ
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9:45 Ted Weems Orch.—WENR
Amos 'n' Andy—WBEM
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Jimmy Fidler—WBEM
Preston Bradley—WMAQ
Ted Weems' Orch.—WIBA
Dick Jurgens' Orch.—WGN

10:30 Lou Breeze's Orch. — WMAQ
10:45 Bob Crosby's Orch.—WBEM
11:00 Nocturn—WOC
Count Basie's Orch.—WENR

Larry Clinton's Orch. — WMAQ
WEDNESDAY
12:00 The Goldenberg—WBEM
Radio's Voice—WGN
Mail Bag—WOC

12:15 Life Can Be Beautiful — WBEM
Chase Twins—WIBA
Ellen Randolph—WMAQ
Taylor's Orch.—WJJD

12:30 The Right to Happiness — WBEM
Romantic Rendezvous — WMAQ
12:45 The Road of Life—WBEM
Tonic Tunes—WOC

1:00 Lanny Ross—WBEM
Betty and Bob—WMAQ
Song Shoppers—WOC
Ginsburgh's Orch.—WGN

1:15 Treasure Chest—WMT
Arnold Grimm's Daughter—WMAQ
Girl Interne—WBEM
Middy Rounder—WJJD

1:30 Eddie and Fannie—WCFL
Your Family and Mine—WBEM
Favorite Waltzes—WIBA
Valiant Lady—WMAQ

What's in a Name? — WCFL
Rhythm and Romance—WOC
Hawaiians—WGN
Betty Crocker—WMAQ

1:45 My Son and I—WBEM
Santella's Orch.—WJJD
Yar Concert Orch.—WGN
Spotlight Program—WCFL

2:00 Marriage License Romances — WGN
Story of Mary Marlin — WMAQ
Orphans of Divorce—WLS
Society Girl—WBEM

Ma Perkins—WMAQ
Amanda of Honeymoon Hill — WLS
Varieties—WCFL
2:30 Pepper Young's Family — WMAQ

Echoes of Havana—WCFL
School of the Air—WBEM
2:45 Vic and Sade—WMAQ
3:00 Club Matinee—WENR

Backstage Wife—WMAQ
Minstrel's WOC
Editor's Daughter—WBEM
3:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ

3:30 Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ
Manhattan Mother — WBEM
Sweet Alice—WOC
Young Widder Jones — WMAQ

Rhythm for Tea—WJJD
Linda's First Love—WBEM
4:00 Girl Alone—WMAQ
Glenn Miller's Orch.—WIBA

Kathleen Norris—WBEM
Dixieland Band—WOC
4:15 Midstream—WMAQ
Golden Store—WBEM

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Some time during the night Sunday or early Monday morning two tool houses belonging to the Milwaukee railroad and used by the section crew, were broken into. The gasoline pump was taken and used to siph

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Music Contest

Fourteen northern Illinois high schools were represented in the district music contest held in Mt. Morris Saturday for soloists and ensembles. Winners will compete in the state contest to be held at DeKalb April 6. Saturday winners were as follows:

Girls high voice: L. Olson, Harlem; Betty Ransome, Mt. Morris; B. Artman, Freeport. Girls medium voice: A. Machamer, Stockton; S. Eddy, Hononegah, Rockton.

Boys high voice: M. Vanderheyder, Stockton; R. Porterfield, Rockton. Boys medium voice: B. Erbe, Harlem; M. Johnson, Lanark; V. Shutz, Stockton; G. Fisher, Rockton. Boys low voice: H. Hill, Stockton; R. Beddow, Freeport.

Mixed ensemble, Harlem and Stockton; boys ensemble, Stockton; girls ensemble, Galena and Winnebago.

Piano: Josephine Elsen, Winnebago; James Asp, Mt. Morris; Bryant Zimmerman, Mt. Morris; Charlotte Dadds, Galena; drum solo: Robert Jackson, DeKalb; xylophone solo: Richard Bates, Lanark; drum quintet, Freeport; clarinet solo: Margene Holdorf, Byron; Barbara Packard, Lanark; Jack Golobith, Hanover; Charles Davison, DeKalb; Elwood Wunsch, Freeport; Alice Vance, Freeport.

Tenor saxophone solo: Beverly Corson, DeKalb; Ronald Lizer, Mt. Morris. Cornet solo, Jack Eadie, Hanover. Trombone solo, William Giles, DeKalb; Laverne Pinkenblader, Pearl City. French

horn solo: Phyllis Grupe, Freeport; Ann Lawrence, Freeport. Brass sextet: Freeport and Mt. Morris. Clarinet trio: Freeport. Cornet trio: Mt. Morris and DeKalb. Clarinet quartet: Mt. Morris. Woodwind quintet, Freeport; B. clarinet quartet: Pearl City and DeKalb. Horn quartet: Freeport. Brass quartet, Pearl City. Flute solo: Mardelle Adams, Freeport. Violin solo: E. Elsen, DeKalb; Ralph Hudson, Mt. Morris; C. Smith, DeKalb. Baritone horn: C. Anderson, Freeport. Bass horn: F. Braddy, Byron; E. Smith, Winnebago. Brass clarinet: Claremont Michael, Mt. Morris. Alto saxophone solo: Ronald Lizer, Mt. Morris; E. Elsen, DeKalb.

Town Topics

The stockholders of the Mt. Morris Elevator company held their annual meeting Saturday at which time the following were elected to the board of directors: Charles Stengel, John Weller and Charles Zundahl.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hough returned home Monday from a two weeks' vacation trip to Florida.

Mrs. Josie Ray spent the week end in Chicago with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Armbruster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hollinger and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hollinger were guests Sunday of the latter's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Calhoun at Pecatonica.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Hanes are the parents of a son born Saturday morning at the Rockford hospital.

Mrs. Evelyn Hayes and son Talbot of Kings were guests Friday of the former's mother, Mrs. Inez Hanes.

Major Battle on Syphilis Remains to Be Carried On

Bloomington, Ind., March 12.—(AP)—The main battle to control syphilis in the United States has yet to be fought.

This is shown in a study made at Indiana University by Dr. Harvey J. Locke, assistant professor of sociology, for Indiana's committee for study of marriage legislation.

One part of the battle will concern whether a person is to lose his job if it is found he has, or even has had, this disease. For, if discovery costs a job, syphilis will not be reported, and without reporting and follow-up work, physicians cannot prevent indiscriminate spreading of the disease.

As an official example of a widespread attitude, Dr. Locke cites the action of the Social Security Board three years ago.

In 1937, he states, the board "had the public health service give Wassermann as part of the pre-employment examinations and rejected those having positive Wassermann. Dr. Thomas Parran, who reports this, says that having found the Wassermann positives, the Civil Service Commission said in effect 'we can't employ these people. They have a higher expectancy of disability than the normal. They will load down our pension rolls. To take them would be unfair to other employees and to the government which must bear the cost of their disability'."

Now the board is less strict, Wassermann tests are required only if the examining physician suspects syphilis. If the applicant re-

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Penalties in Military

The Indiana report declares there still are penalties against syphilis in the army and navy. These prohibit veterans from drawing sick benefits when syphilitic infection caused the disease.

The service men are hospitalized free, but pay stop during the time they are hospitalized. In the navy the reason for this penalty is that contracting syphilis is misconduct.

Both services however say their regulations now are aimed at getting men to report venereal disease promptly.

On the other side, Prof. Locke found that several industrial concerns were using the Wassermann test as a means of discovering and curing the disease, because they

find healthy workers more efficient producers, and because syphilis and gonorrhea often caused alleged industrial injuries.

Change in Attitude

Prof. Locke tells a dramatic story of the change in the attitude of the United States since the turn of this century.

In 1906, he says the Ladies Home Journal, after publishing articles and editorials on syphilis, received cancellations of 75,000 subscriptions, and some advertising accounts. But in 1937 an article brought no criticism. Instead there was favorable response that drew a second article.

In 1908, officers of the U. S. Public Health Service prepared a carefully-worded pamphlet on venereal disease, to be distributed to seamen. But the secretary of the

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Birthday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Ganschow entertained in honor of Mrs. Will Schrader's birthday at a Sunday dinner. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Schrader, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Utts, and Mr. and Mrs. George Schrader and son.

Birthday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stevens entertained Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Winger of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Johnson of Galva and Jeff Livey at a birthday dinner on Sunday in honor of Mrs. Winger and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, all having birthdays in March.

Church Bazaar

The Loyal Workers class of the Methodist church will hold their annual Easter bazaar on Thursday, March 14. Fried chicken supper, will start serving at 5:30 p. m.

Walnut Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Keigwin of Peoria were week end guests of Mrs. Pauline Shearburn.

Mrs. Vera Kaiser returned to her home in Henry Saturday, having spent several days with her sister, Mrs. Roy Atherton.

Mr. and Mrs. August Hasen-yager of Princeton were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Charles Watkins and daughters and at the home of Mrs. J. W. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Winger of Dixon were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Winger.

Mrs. Elsie Norden and daughter Alice were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harding Piper of LaMoille.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stephens and family of Tampico were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Odell, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Vernon Nelson were week end guests in Gerlaw, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Taylor of Princeton were Sunday guests of John Anderson and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hasen-yager of Peoria were Sunday guests of Mrs. J. W. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Bela Larson and daughter of Sterling visited Walnut relatives Sunday.

John Sorenson of Morrison was a Walnut caller on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Winger of Dixon, Mrs. John Winger and Mrs. Joe LaRoach were Sheffield visitors on Saturday. They went down

treasury, George B. Cortelyou, refused to approve it because, Prof. Locke quotes, "the matter contained in this bulletin is not in keeping with the dignity of the fiscal department of the government".

Father to Occupy Son's Pulpit



The Rev. George W. Ford will be the guest speaker at the evening service, tomorrow, at the First Christian church. He is the father of the pastor of the Dixon Christian church, Rev. Mr. Ford has been pastor of the Lincoln Park Church of Christ in Rockford for the past five years. His subject for the evening will be "The Cross and the Mind of Christ." Mrs. R. W. Ford will draw a hymn crayon picture. The service begins at 7:30 o'clock.

to see the new grocery store recently purchased by Clifton Winger.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sprinkle and family of Milledgeville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sprinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newcom and family and Miss Betty Bowers of Sterling were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wise of Morrison moved into the Mrs. John Sorenson house the last of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Odell and Mrs. Lena Odell were Sunday evening callers in Manlius.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hopkins of Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor and son of Manlius were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyons.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foy spent Saturday in Abingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Harrison and son spent Sunday in Sterling visiting relatives.

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This spring's jackets concentrate on pockets, of saddle bag or cash-and-carry size, a la Schiaparelli. They will be worn with skirts that match; with skirts that contrast; over dresses; and with slacks. The chief silhouettes are classic hip length, the collarless cardigan, and the very new longer torso type.

Show your ingenuity — mix your plaids and checks and plaids; your pastels, neutrals and darks; or match them to fashion contentment!

WATCH THE CURTAINS

Windows are going mid-Victorian in a big way this spring! Following the new trend for the more elaborate furnishings and ornamentation of the 18th century, curtains from coast to coast are coming.

Lapels Are Longer

Lapels are longer this year on many of the new suits, and skirts may have inverted pleats instead of the slim, plain skirts of last year. Smart pockets and flaps add interest. Simple one-button styles are preferred.

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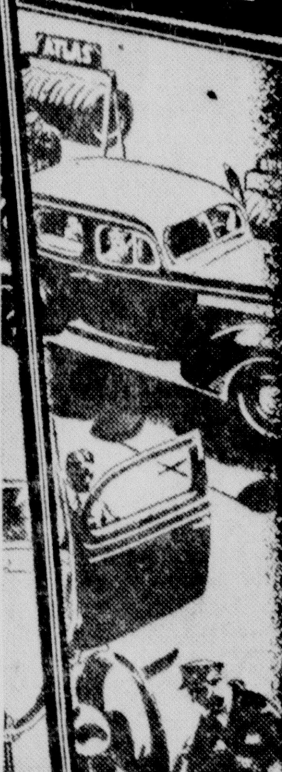
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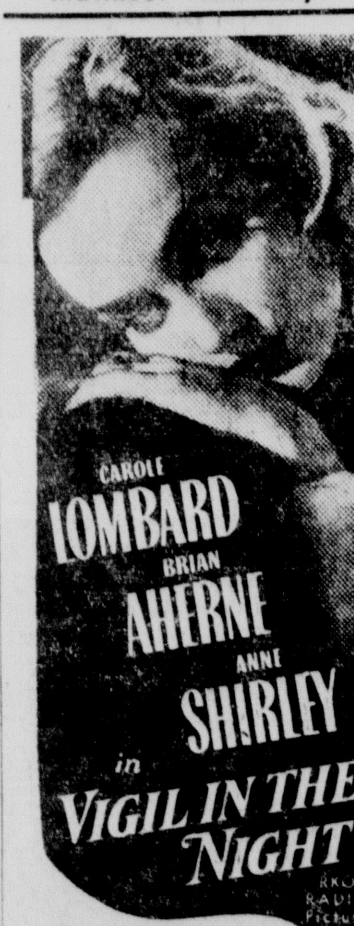
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